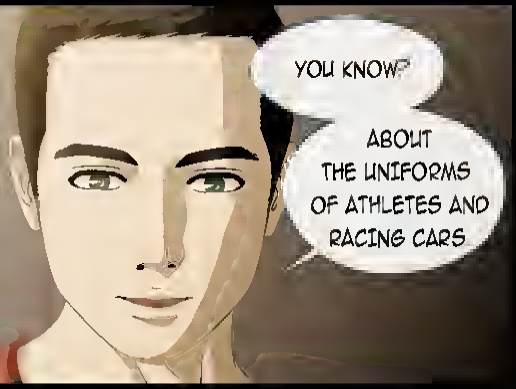
YOU EVEN DESTROYED MY FAVORITE CAR.
YOU'RE GOING TO PAY THE PRICE, HUH?


YOU KNOW?
ABOUT THE UNIFORMS OF ATHLETES AND RACING CARS

WHAT?

LINE
SPONSORS' LOGOS ARE WRITTEN ON THEM
THAT'S FOR ADVERTISING PROFIT.
THAT HAS INSPIRED ME!
SANY
SAMSON
ELECT

I SHOULD PUT AN ADVERTISEMENT ON YOUR SUIT!
TADA

I'M EXPOSED TO MEDIA QUITE OFTEN, SO IT'LL BE A GOOD WAY TO MAKE MONEY.
MY SUIT WOULD BE LESS COOL WITH IT. SO I'M GONNA USE YOURS!!

MY SALARY FROM THE COMMITTEE ISN'T ENOUGH TO BUY FANCY WINE!
GRAB
THIS IS NOT THE FIRST TIME I'VE THOUGHT...

I SHOULD GET A NEW CAR WITH THE MONEY FROM THE ADVERTISEMENT.
HE IS TRASH.
REAL... TRASH!

SIDEKICKS

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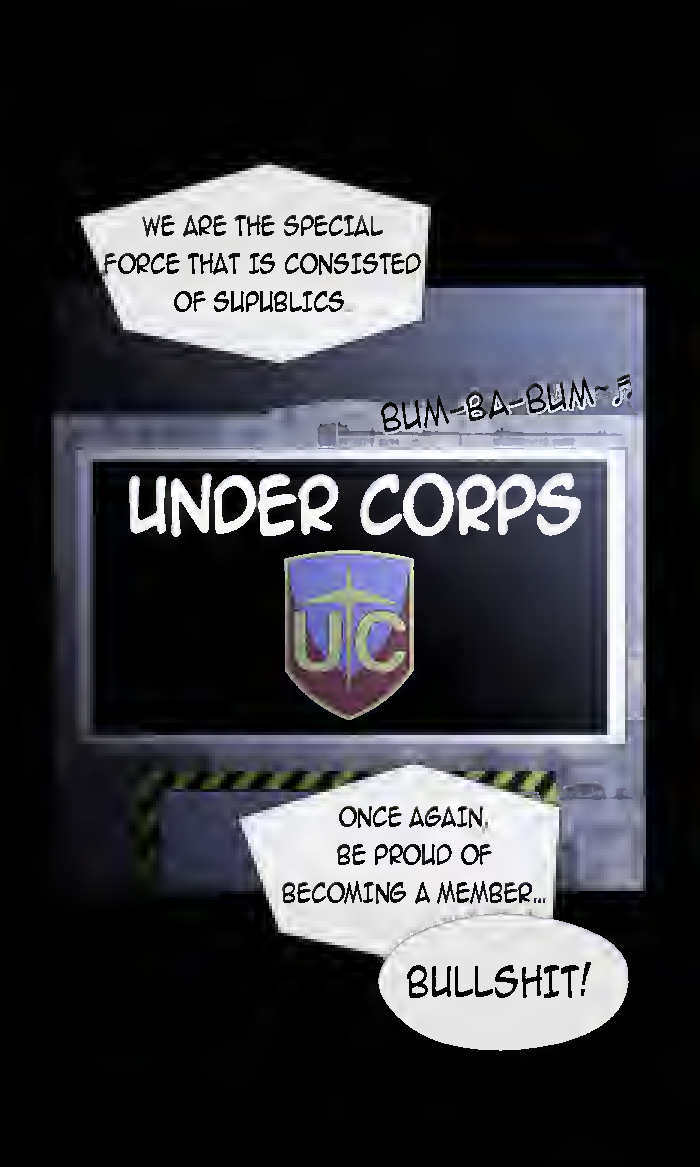
RUB-A-DUB~♫

WARRIORS THAT HAVE NO NAMES, UNDER CORPS!!
BUM-BA-BUM~♪

WE UNDER CORPS SAVE PEOPLE AND DO DAMAGE CONTROL IN BATTLE AREAS

WE GUARD IMPORTANT FACILITIES AND KEY FIGURES


WE ARE THE SPECIAL FORCE THAT IS CONSISTED OF SUPUBLICS
BUM-BA-BUM~♫
UNDER CORPS
UC
ONCE AGAIN, BE PROUD OF BECOMING A MEMBER...
BULLSHIT!

ZOOOOM-
Under Corps
UC
IT'S MORE LIKE A HANGOUT FULL OF LOSERS
WHO FAILED THE SIDEKICK-HERO COURSE

IF WE WERE IN THE PAST, WE'D BE IN THE SLAVE CLASS
THE HEROES WOULD BE THE ROYAL FAMILY.

SIDEKICKS ARE NOBLES COMPARED TO US.
I'M SORRY BUT LINDSAY DOESN'T WANT YOU AS HER SIDEKICK.

SO PACK YOUR STUFF.
THUD

THAT'S GOOD TO HEAR. THEN I SHOULD GET GOING...
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

ACCORDING TO THE COMMITTEE'S LAW, EVERY SUPUBLIC UNDER 20 YEARS OLD HAS TO BE ENROLLED AT JUSTICE COLLEGE
THEY HAVE TO JOIN UNDER CORPS IF THEY FAIL TO BECOME SIDEKICKS BEFORE GRADUATION
WHAT?

THEO.
YOU'RE TOO OLD
TO GO TO THE COLLEGE
SO YOU HAVE TO GO
TO UNDER CORPS.

JOIN THE ARMY!

DID SHE PLAN THIS FROM THE BEGINNING?

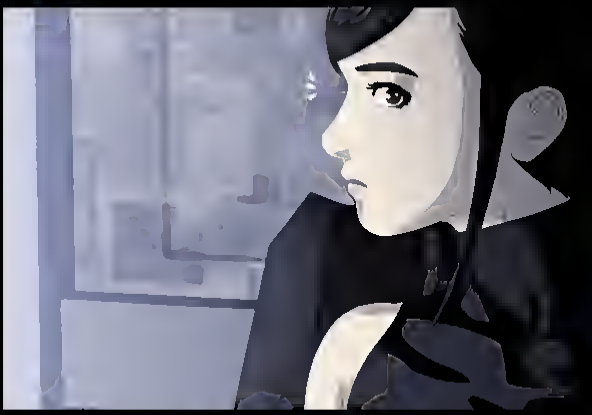
CAMILLA!!!
YOU'LL SEE!!
I'M DEFINITELY GOING TO DESERT!
CRUNCH
WE ARE STUCK HERE, UNDER CORPS, UNTIL WE BECOME SIDEKICKS!

OH!
I'M 'RYAN'.
I DON'T THINK
I'VE EVER SEEN
YOU AT THE COLL...
HEY, YOU!
WHAT KIND OF MAN
NEVER SHUTS UP?

NONE OF US ARE IN A GOOD MOOD! LET'S BE QUIET, HUH?

ZOOOOOM~

AH! SORRY, SIR...
I MEAN MA'AM!!
SSH



THOSE TWO OVER THERE WERE THE BEST STUDENTS IN THE COLLEGE
THEY HAD THE BEST GRADES IN HISTORY
YOU KNOW 'DARKSLUG', RIGHT?
THEY BOTH FAILED AT BECOMING HIS SIDEKICK A YEAR AGO

ONE GIRL, WHOSE GRADES WERE MEDIOCRE AND WHO WASN T VERY SMART WAS HIRED INSTEAD
AH~ PINK SPANDEX GIRL...
THE TOP GRADE? WHO CARES? WE ALL ENDED UP AS SLAVES HAHAHAHA

THE FUNNIEST PART OF THE RUMOR IS THAT ONE OF THEM FAILED BECAUSE SHE IS UGLY HAHAHA
AND THE OTHER ONE FAILED BECAUSE HER BOOBS WERE SMALLER THAN THE GIRL WHO WAS HIRED GEEZ HAHAHA

FWOOSH
WOOSH
YOU, SCUMBAG! I TOLD YOU TO SHUT UP!!
WHAT ABOUT MY BOOBS???

NO, YOU'RE THE UGLY ONE!!!
WHAT? I'VE NEVER SEEN YOU BEFORE
WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT?

SPLASH
PIT-A-PAT

D...
DADDY!
THUD
PUFF
PUFF
PUFF
PUFF
DADDY...
HRGH....

SPLASH-
HISS-

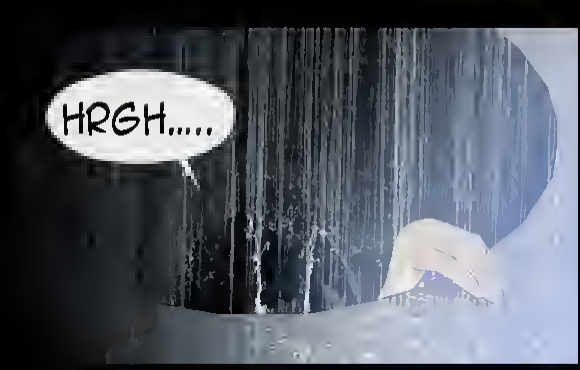
AARGH....

HURRY!
DADDY!!

GRAB

GASP
GO NOW!
HURRY UP!!
DADDY!
COME WITH ME,
DADDY!!!

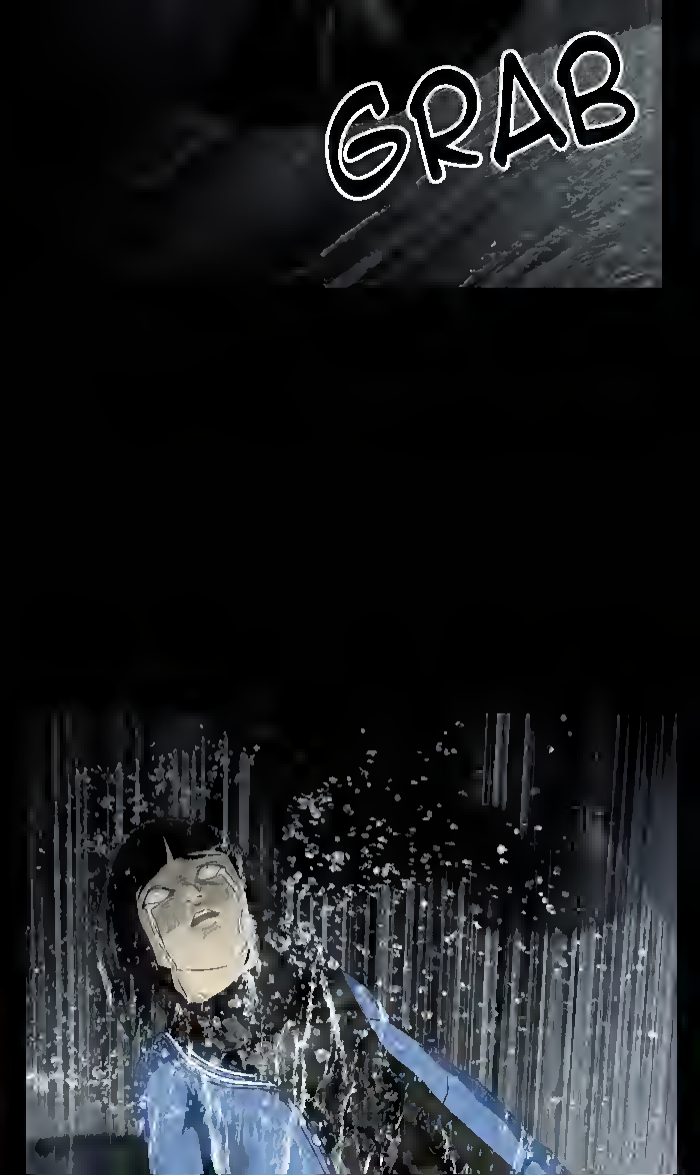
CRUNCH
GO
!!!!!!


HRGH.....

PSSSS...
PLEASE SURVIVE....

THUD

THUMP


GRAB

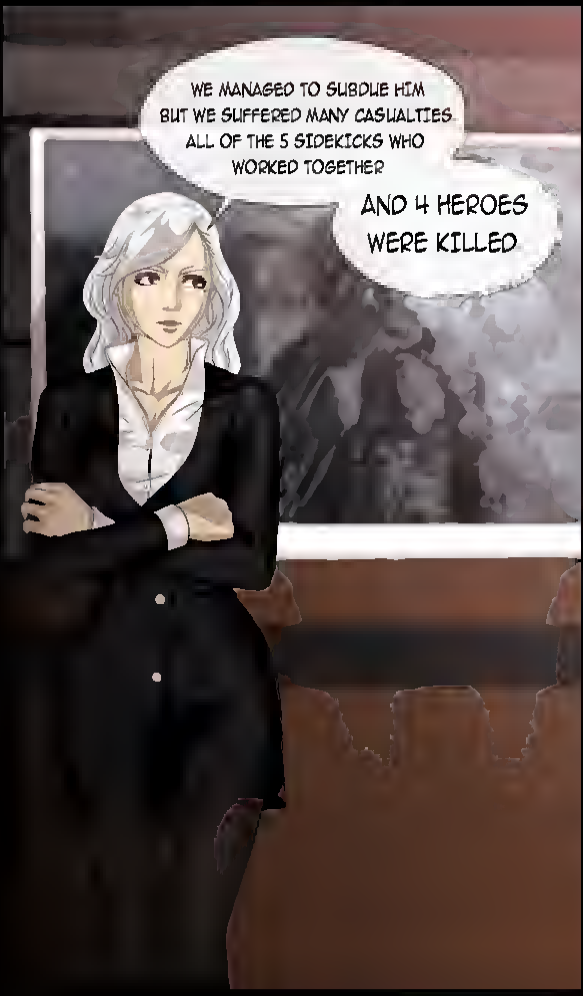
WOOSH

SPLASH
PSSSS-

FLOP

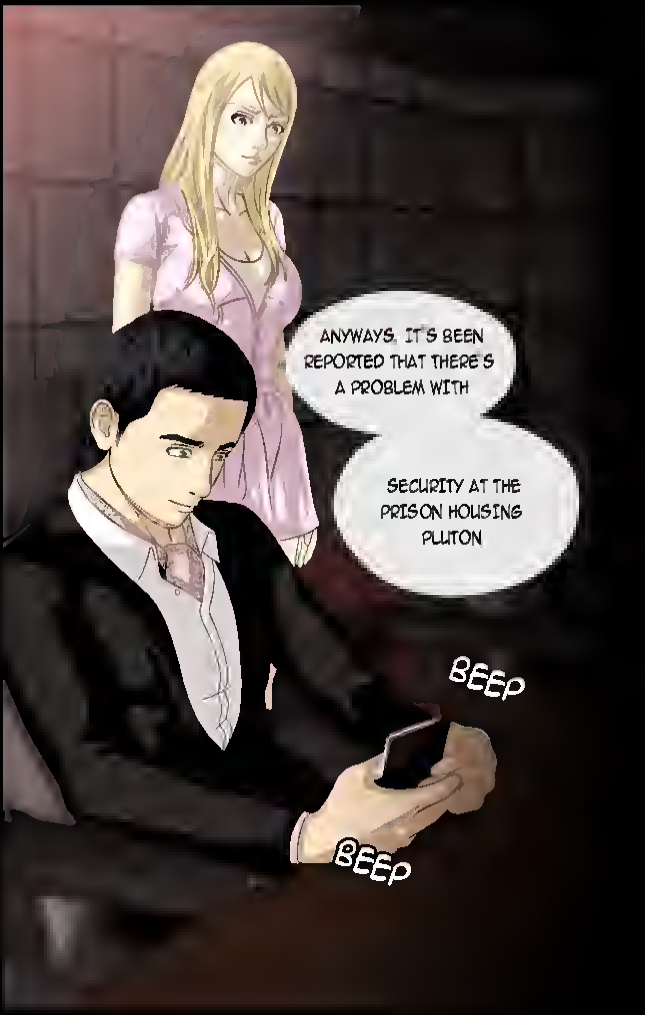
SPLASH
THE VILLAIN THAT DESTROYED THE WHOLE CITY A YEAR AGO..
RUMBLE
AND MASSACRED 5 THOUSAND PEOPLE

'PLUTON'


WE MANAGED TO SUBDUE HIM
BUT WE SUFFERED MANY CASUALTIES.
ALL OF THE 5 SIDEKICKS WHO
WORKED TOGETHER
AND 4 HEROES
WERE KILLED

I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO SURVIVED.
CLAP
CLAP
YOU'RE GREAT, MASTER!!
SO, YOU COULD SAY THAT I'M THE ONE WHO GOT HIM

RIGHT. THANKS TO 'LIGHTNING'.
ARE YOU REALLY BRAGGING ABOUT IT WHEN YOUR SIDEKICK IS DEAD?
BEEP
BEEP
WHAT?
HOW DARE YOU. A LITTLE KIDDO. TALK TO ME LIKE THAT?


ANYWAYS, IT'S BEEN REPORTED THAT THERE'S A PROBLEM WITH
SECURITY AT THE PRISON HOUSING PLUTON
BEEP
BEEP

SO WE NEED TO TRANSFER HIM TO ANOTHER FACILITY. SINCE HE'S DANGEROUS
WE NEED 3 HEROES WHO WILL HELP THE TRANSFER...
LIST OF ADVERTISERS
NEVER
Samson Elec
Mvcrew Soft
pple
Lucky Gold
Sany
Boogle
BEEP
SSSH
HEY, YOU!

DARKSLUG!!
ARE YOU LISTENING?
HUH? YEAH?
THE PRICE OF ADVERTI... I MEAN.. WHAT IS IT?

DARKSLUG, THAT DOUCHE HAS A BAD ATTITUDE.
DON'T YOU THINK?
I THINK SO TOO, MASTER!
SO THE HEROES WILL HELP TRANSFERRING PLUTON...
AH~

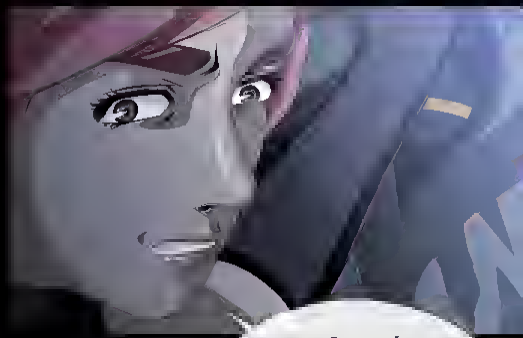
PLUTON?!!

ARE YOU TRYING TO RECRUIT ME TO TRANSFER THAT DEADBEAT?
CAN'T I JUST SEND MY DREAM GIRL
SO WHICH PRISON IS PLUTON IN NOW?

ZOOOOM-

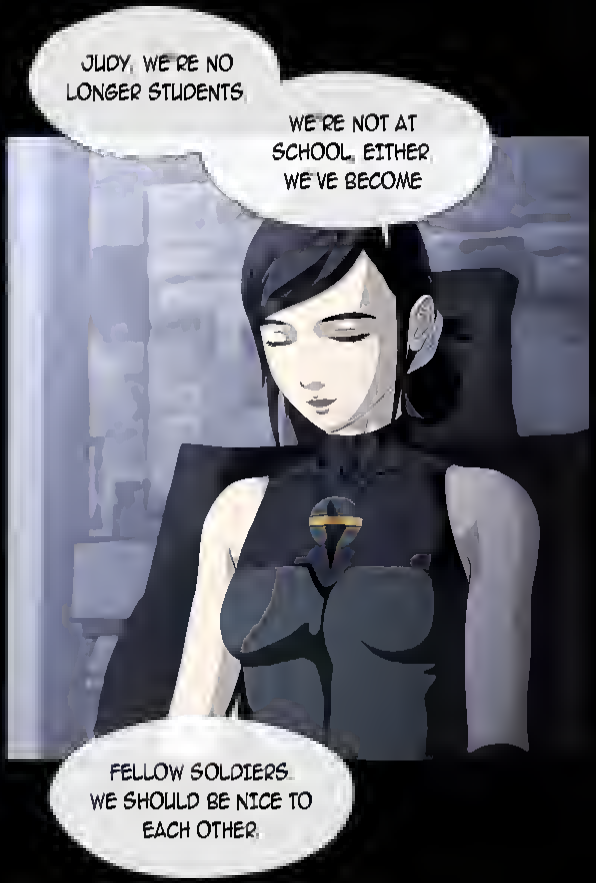
YOU DID A GOOD JOB MAKING HIM SHUT UP! BUT WHY ARE YOU COMING AT ME?
WHAT? DO YOU WANT TO FIGHT WITH ME?
I'M NOT IN A GOOD MOOD, EITHER.
JUDY!

SIT!


OLIVIA!
THIS GUY SAID
YOU'RE UGLY!!

I SAID SIT!

PHT!
CHUCK
ARGH!
AH!
JUST BECAUSE
WE'RE BOTH IN THE CORPS
DOESN'T MEAN WE ARE
ALL ALIKE.

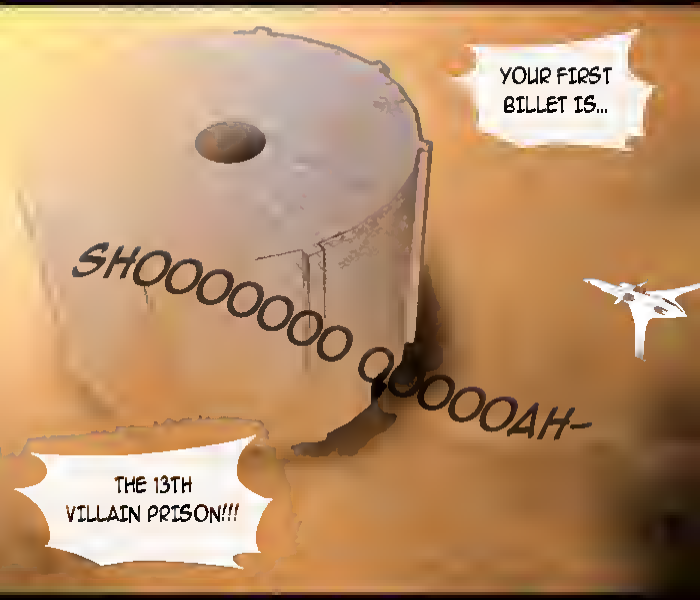

JUDY, WE'RE NO LONGER STUDENTS
WE'RE NOT AT SCHOOL, EITHER
WE'VE BECOME
FELLOW SOLDIERS.
WE SHOULD BE NICE TO EACH OTHER.

AM I RIGHT?

THEO?

DON'T THINK ABOUT DESERTION.
HUH? IS THIS TELEPATHY?
...HOW DOES SHE KNOW ME??

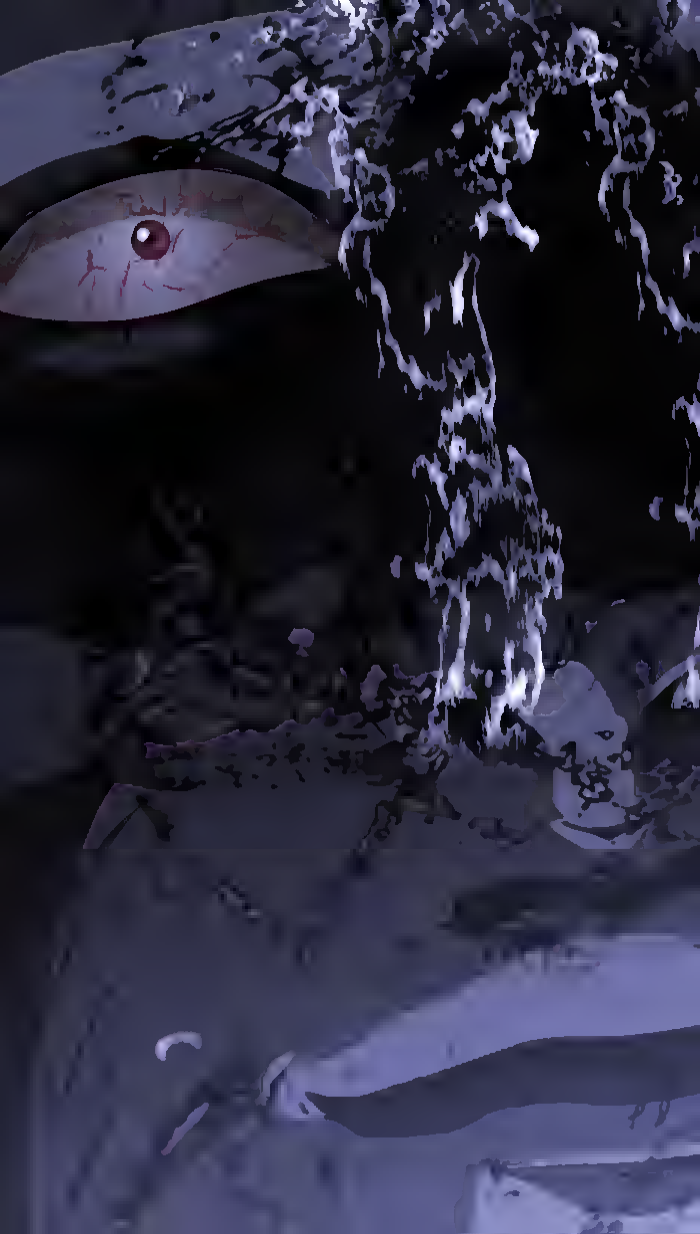
WHY ARE YOU GUYS GOOFING AROUND?? YOU BABY RECRUITS!!
ZOOM
GET READY TO MOVE!!

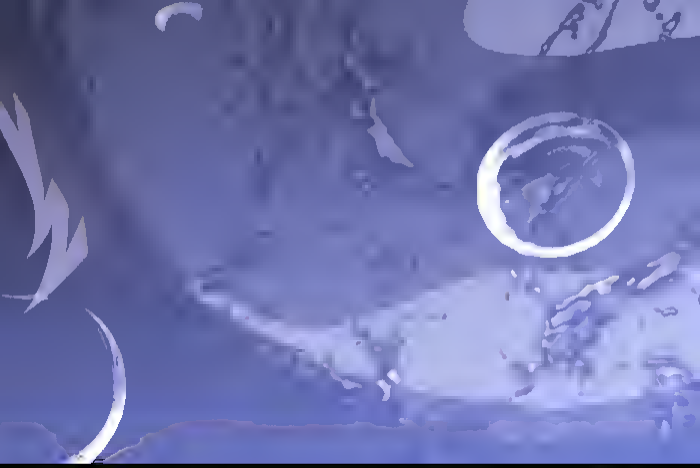

YOUR FIRST BILLET IS...
SHOOOOOOO OOOOOAH-
THE 13TH VILLAIN PRISON!!!

ZOOOOM-
ZOOM-

ZOOOM-
WHIR-

WHIRRR-





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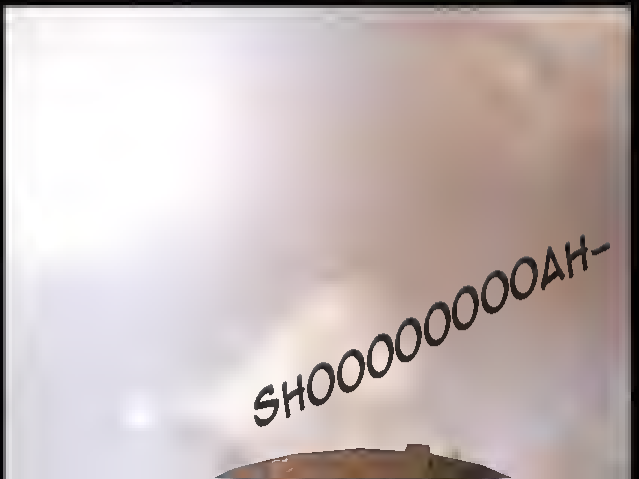
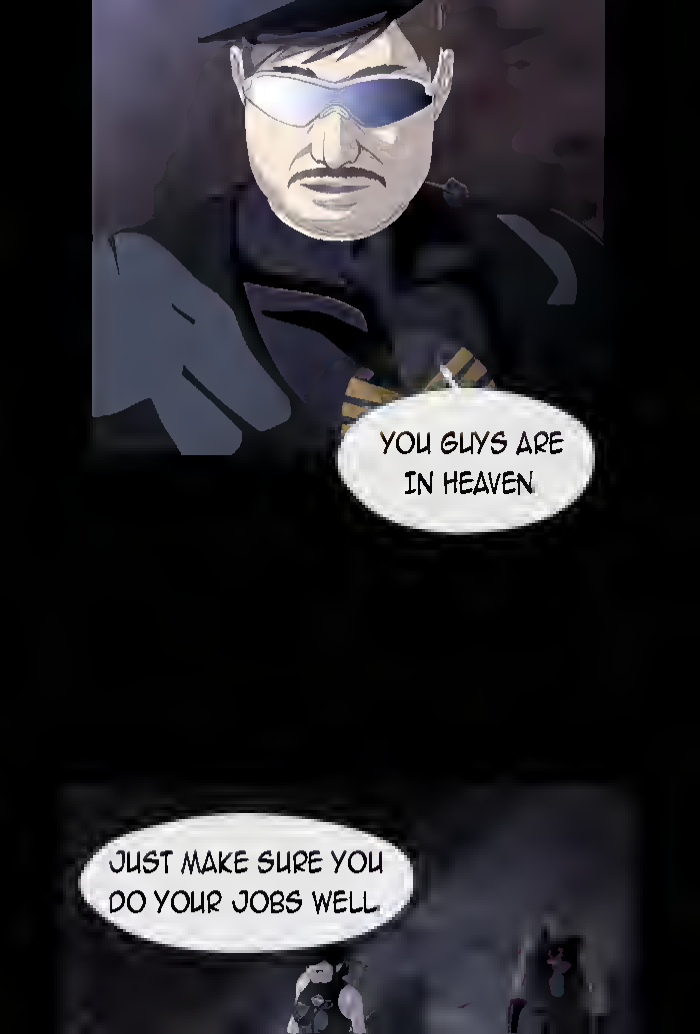

SHOOOOOOOOAH-

AS WE HAVE SEEN SO FAR...

TRAMP

TRAMP
TRAMP
OUR PRISON ONLY HOLDS PETTY CRIMINALS WHO HAD COMMITTED CRIMES OF THE 3RD DEGREE OR LOWER.
COMPARED TO OTHER NEW SOLDIERS STATIONED AT OTHER PRISONS,


YOU GUYS ARE IN HEAVEN
JUST MAKE SURE YOU DO YOUR JOBS WELL

YOU KNOW THAT YOUR WORK EVALUATION IS IMPORTANT WHEN BEING RECRUITED AS A SIDEKICK, RIGHT?

ESPECIALLY YOU!
PRIVATE THEO!!

WITH MY 30 YEARS OF CORPS LIFE,
I CAN SMELL TROUBLEMAKER'S SCENT FROM YOU
WHAT?
WHAT DID I...
I JUST CAN SMELL IT, BUB!

I NEED TO KEEP MY HEAD DOWN FOR A WHILE
DARN IT....
I'D BETTER NOT MAKE A FUSS IF I WANT TO MAKE A BREAK FOR IT

THUD
MASTER SERGEANT, TAYLOR!!
AT EASE!
?

MASTER SERGEANT, WHAT'S THAT ROOM?

ZOOOM
THAT LOOKS DIFFERENT FROM THE OTHER ROOMS.

IT'S BETTER IF YOU DON'T KNOW ABOUT IT
THE CRIMINAL IN THAT ROOM WILL BE SENT TO ANOTHER PLACE TOMORROW ANYWAY

ALRIGHT! WE'VE SEEN ALL THE FLOORS. LET'S GO UPSTAIRS!

WHIR-
WHIRRR-

OLIVIA, HEY!!
COME ON!
YEAH...

SIDEKICKS

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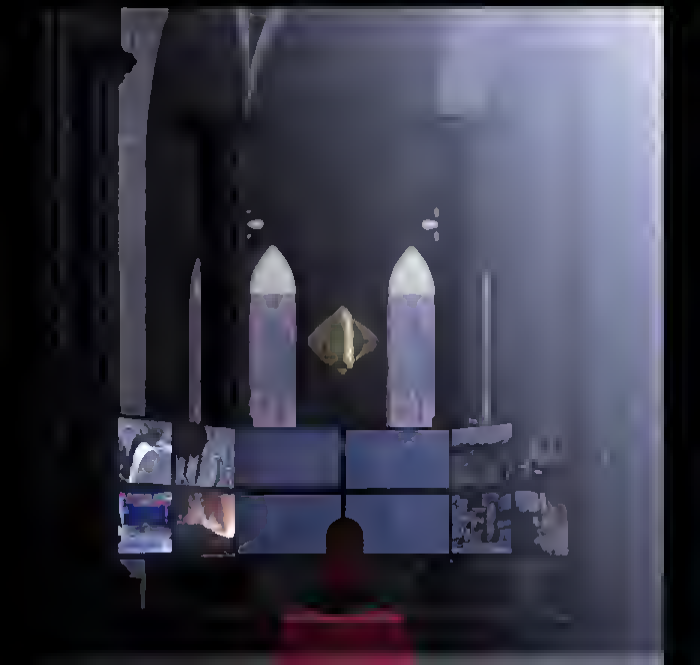
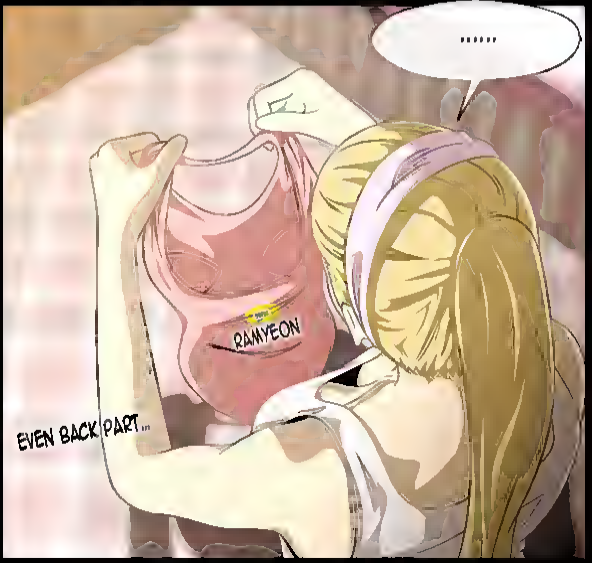


TADA

RANKYEON

WEAR THAT SUIT FOR WORK STARTING WITH THE PLUTON'S TRANSFER.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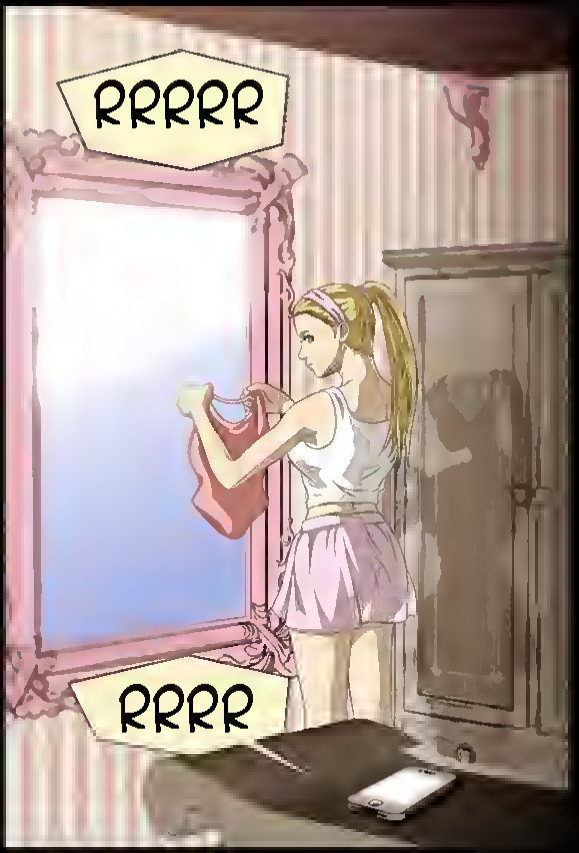
RAMYEON
EVEN BACK PART...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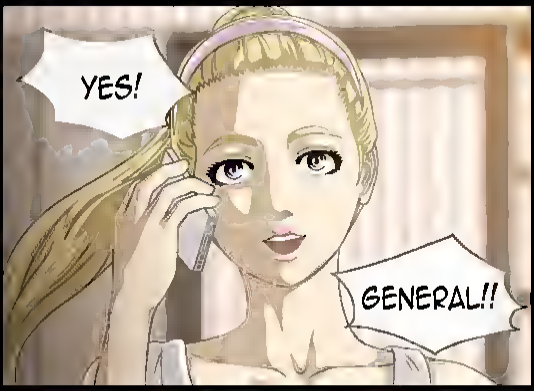
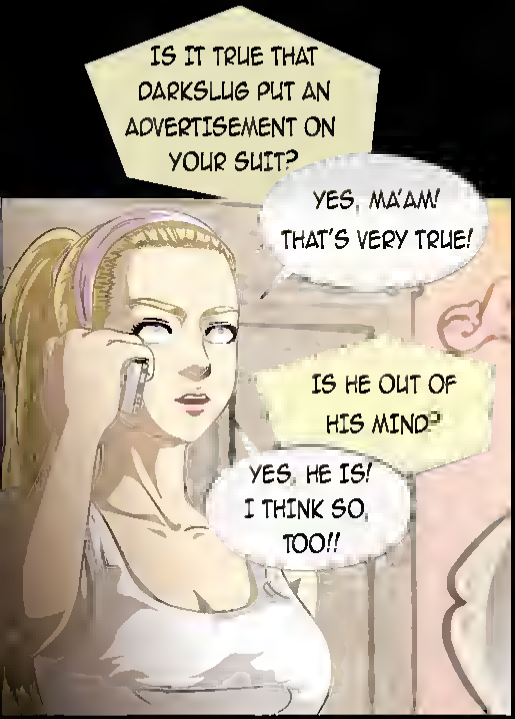
RRRR


YES!
GENERAL!!

I JUST HEARD
A RIDICULOUS RUMOR!
AND I WANT TO CHECK!!


IS IT TRUE THAT DARKSLUG PUT AN ADVERTISEMENT ON YOUR SUIT?
YES, MA'AM! THAT'S VERY TRUE!
IS HE OUT OF HIS MIND?
YES, HE IS! I THINK SO, TOO!!

HE MUST HAVE KNOWN THAT HEROES ARE FORBIDDEN FROM PROFIT-MAKING ACTIVITIES.
WEAR YOUR EXTRA SUIT AND PUT DARKSLUG ON THE PHONE.
AH...WELL... MY MASTER HAS ALREADY RECEIVED AN ADVERTISEMENT FEE AND...

HE LEFT TO GET A NEW CAR...
WHAT?! SON OF A...

B...
MASTER!!
HANG ON, LAMIA!
WHAT'S UP, KYLE?

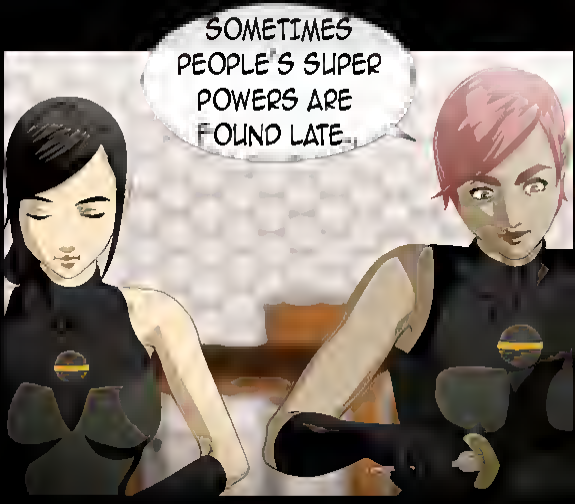
THERE'S A BIT OF PROBLEM CONCERNING PLUTON'S TRANSFER.
...WHAT?
UMM... DARKSLUG...

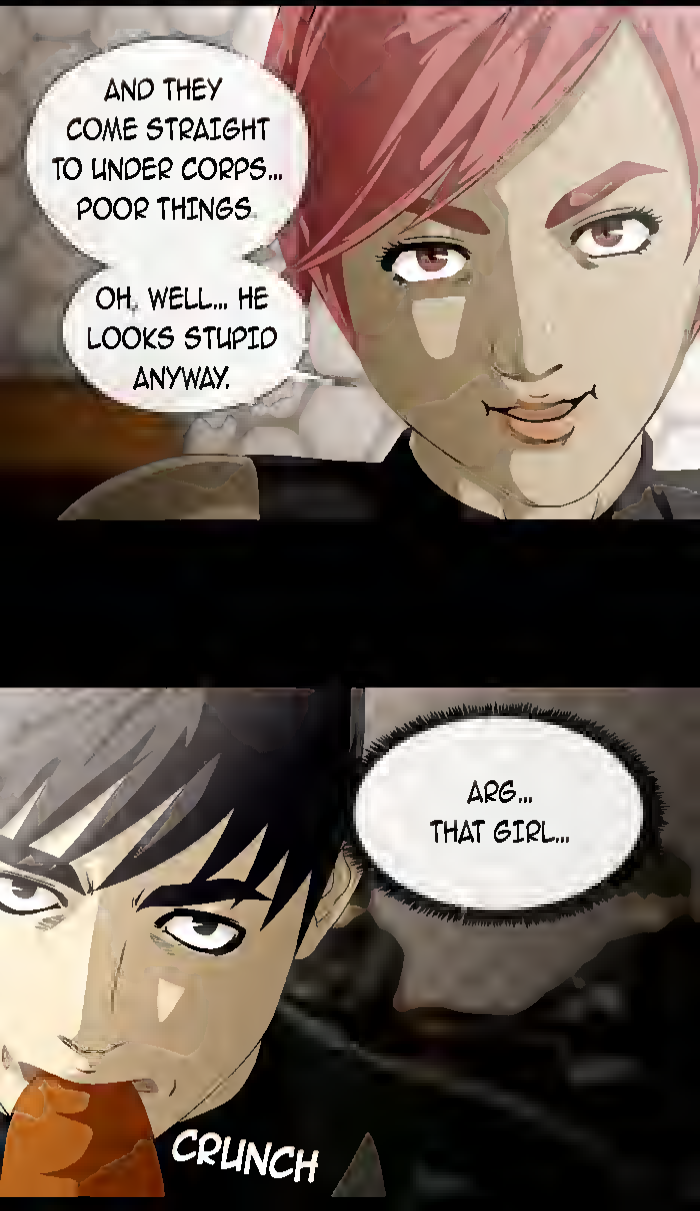
DON'T TELL ME DARKSLUG ALREADY...
THROB
THROB

SHOOOOAH-

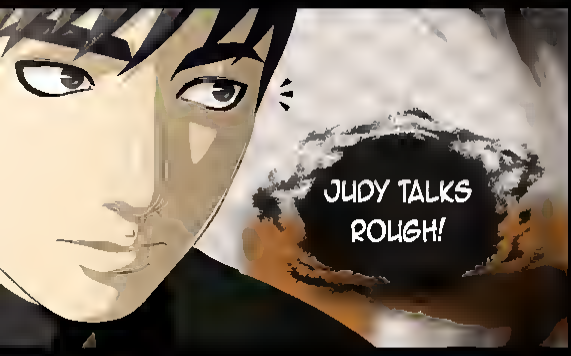
THE SLAVE MENU HERE IS TERRIBLE!
CAN'T YOU SHUT UP WITH THE 'SLAVE' STUFF? YOU'RE FREAKING ANNOYING.
OK, BUDD... I MEAN, MA'AM.

YOU'RE NOT FROM JUSTICE COLLEGE, ARE YOU?


SOMETIMES PEOPLE'S SUPER POWERS ARE FOUND LATE.


AND THEY COME STRAIGHT TO UNDER CORPS... POOR THINGS.
OH, WELL... HE LOOKS STUPID ANYWAY.
ARG... THAT GIRL...
CRUNCH

I NEED TO STAY QUITE... AS IF I'M NOT EVEN HERE.
SIGH
SIGH
HA
HA
SORRY.


JUDY TALKS ROUGH!

I APOLOGIZE FOR HER.

WHAT? SHE CAN'T READ MY MIND, CAN SHE?
STAY OUT OF MY LIFE.
ARE YOU TALKING TO ME?
SHE IS BOTHERING ME!!

HEY HEY HEY--
I HEARD NEW RECRUITS
WERE COMING
YOU GUYS MUST
BE THEM

YOU MUST BE JUDY AND OLIVIA, THE FAMOUS
MISS "KNOW IT ALLS" IN COLLEGE

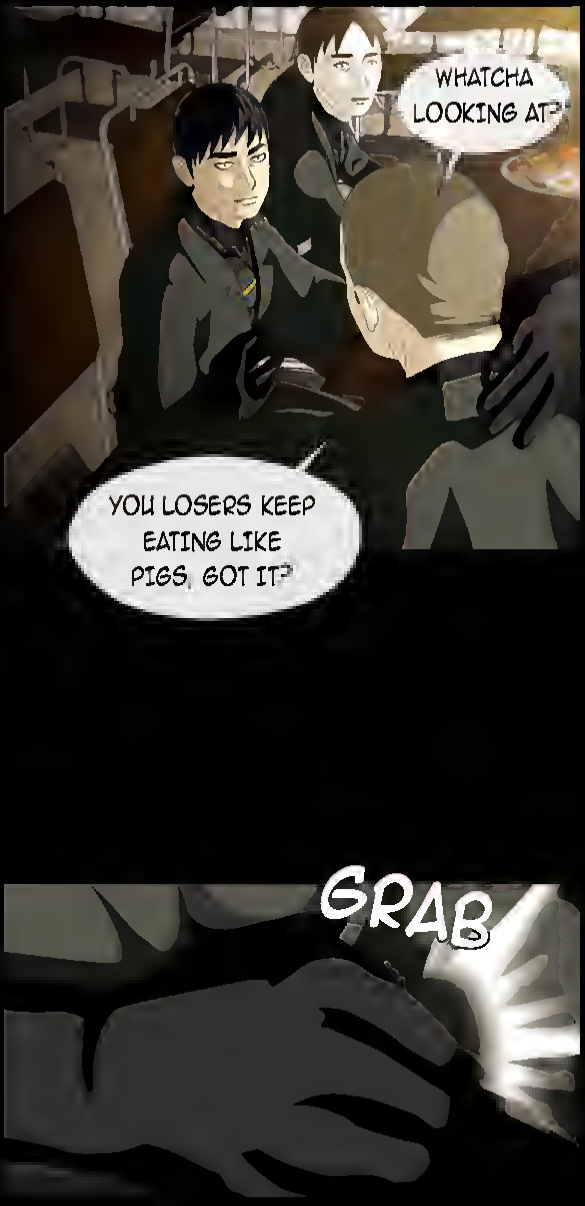
SHUSH~
SHUSH~
PRETEND YOU DIDN'T SEE ANY THING.
WE DON'T WANNA GET INVOLVED IN A FUSS.
PHEW-
PHEW-
I'M NOT EVEN HERE-

WHAT BROUGHT YOU GUYS TO THIS SHABBY PLACE?
HA HA HA
YOU WERE ACTING LIKE YOU WOULD BECOME SIDEKICKS FOR SURE!
GET LOST, BLOCKHEAD!

HOW DARE YOU TALK LIKE THAT TO YOUR SENIOR!!
POW
WE'RE IN THE ARMY!!

THUD

OLIVIA,
LET ME SEE YOUR
SASSY FACE AGAIN!
GRAB


WHATCHA LOOKING AT?
YOU LOSERS KEEP EATING LIKE PIGS, GOT IT?
GRAB

JUST STAY RIGHT
THERE, THEO!!

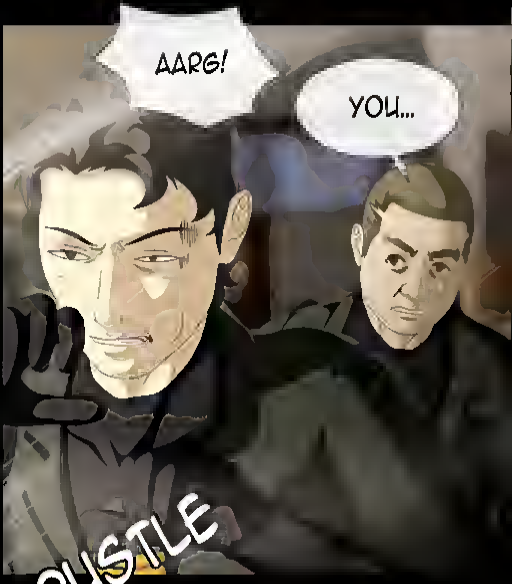
IF YOU REALLY...
WANT TO GET OUT OF HERE...

AAAHHHH!
YOU FREAKING
DICK HEAD!!
WOOSH
!!

JUMP

FWOOSH

THUMP
AAUGH!!!
!!


AARG!
YOU...
RUSTLE

I'M SO SORRY, PRIVATE!
CHATTER
CHATTER
CHATTER
PLEASE FORGIVE US...
CHATTER
THIS IS AN ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ALL CORPSMAN!

THIS IS AN ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ALL CORPSMAN!!
WATCH OUT!
LIFE HERE IS NOT EASY.
THE HERO TEAM IN CHARGE OF

TOMORROW'S TRANSFER OF THE FIRST DEGREE LIFER WILL BE HERE SOON.
ARE YOU OK?
EVERY SOLDIER, REPORT TO THE RUNWAY IMMEDIATELY.

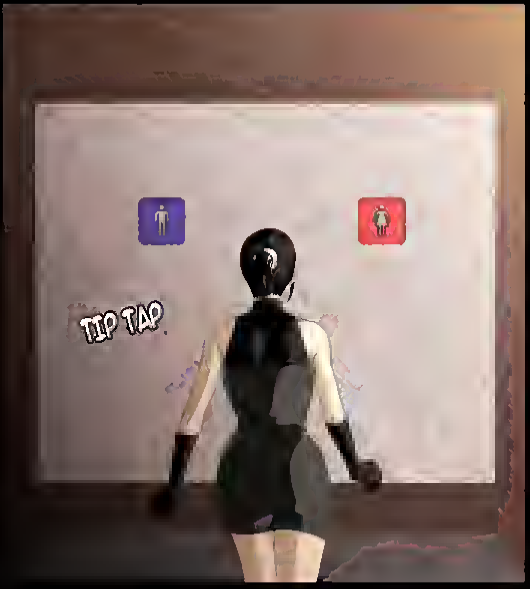
ONCE AGAIN...!
HEY,
LET'S GO.

THAT GIRL...
WHY DID YOU STOP ME? I COULD HAVE KILLED...
FORGET IT. WHAT'S THE POINT OF MAKING A FUSS?
SORRY.
RUSTLE

LET ME USE THE LADIES ROOM. I'LL CATCH UP.
IS OLIVIA...?

SHE MIGHT...
TIP TAP
TIP TAP
NOT BE THAT BAD AFTER ALL...

THEO!! WE HAVE TO GO!!
IF WE ARE LATE, WE'LL BE IN TROUBLE AND IT'LL BE REPORTED ON OUR SIDE...
STOP CHATTERING SERIOUSLY!!
ESPECIALLY STOP TALKING ABOUT SIDEKICKS!!
SHOUT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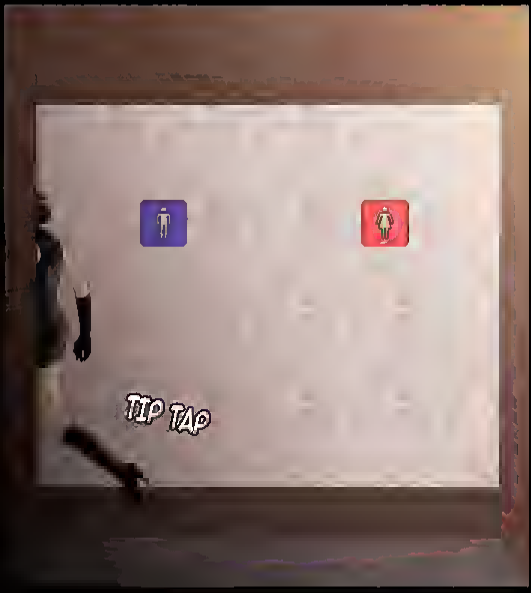
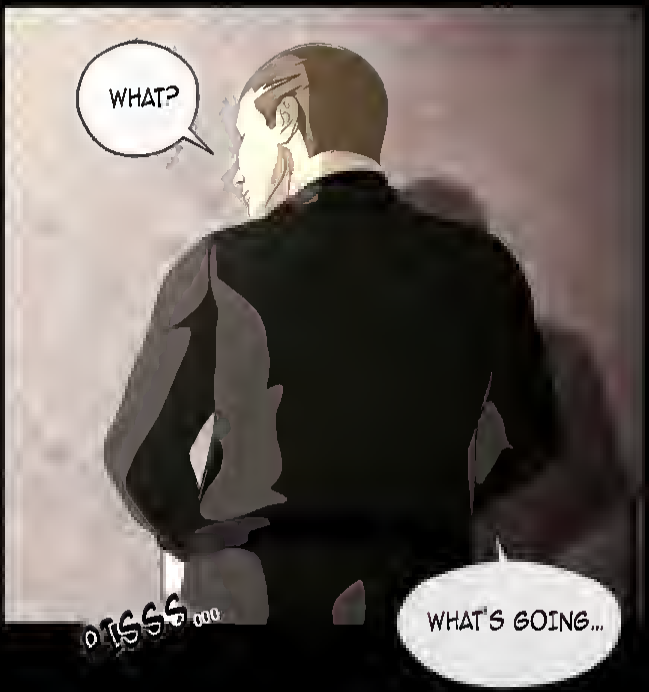
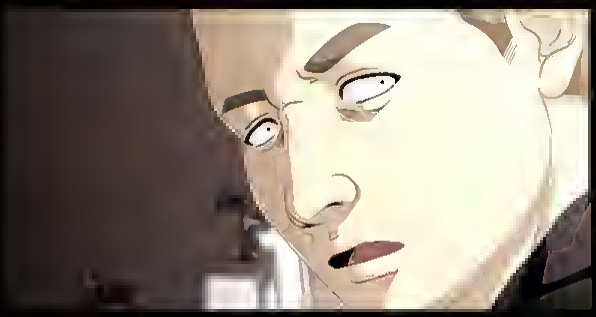

TIP TAP

THOSE GIRLS ARE NOW SO SCREWED THEY DIDN'T TREAT US WELL BACK IN COLLEGE
TELL ME ABOUT IT HAHA!! WHO KNEW THEY'D BE WORKING FOR US!
THEIR LIVES ARE GOING TO BE HARD HAHAHA

HEY, HURRY UP!
WE'VE GOTTA GO...
HUH?


WHAT?
SSSS...
WHAT'S GOING...

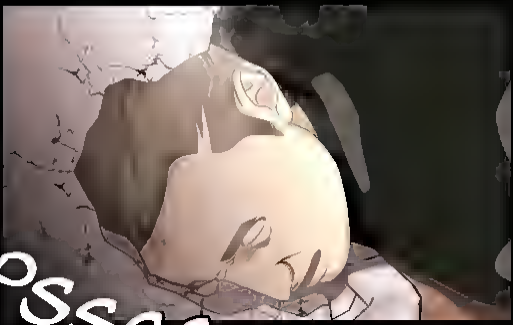


CRACK

HEY,
ARE YOU NUTS?
RUSTLE
RUSTLE
ZIP

YOU'RE IN THE ARMY...

BAM
CRACK
THUD

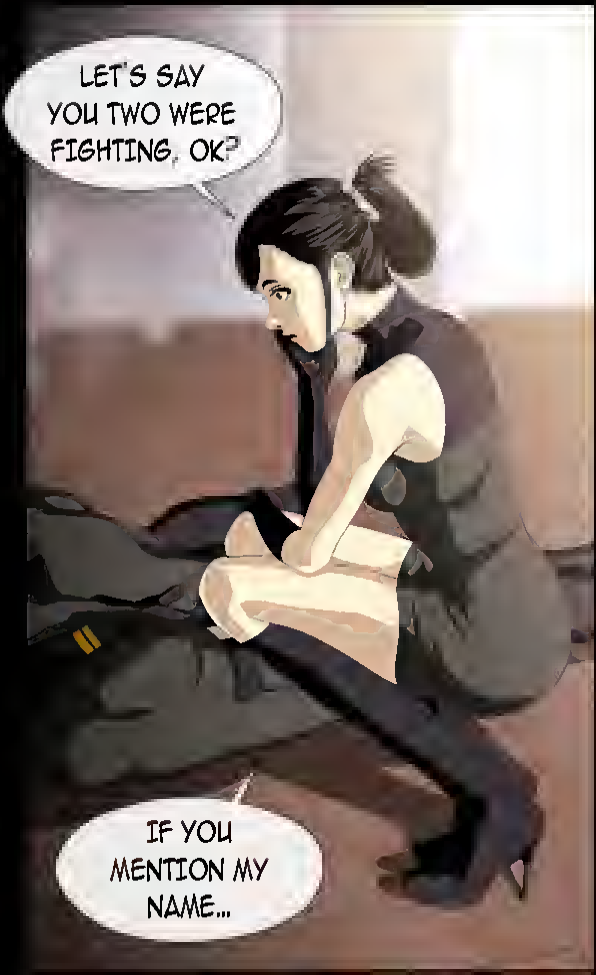

PSSSS-

ARGH....

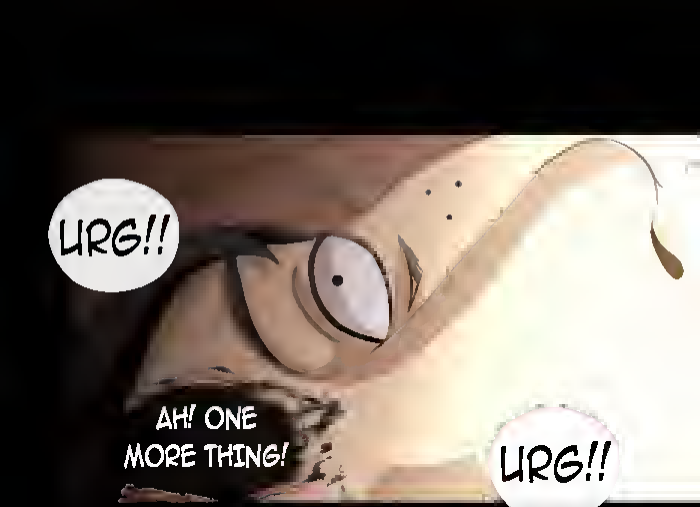
CLENCH

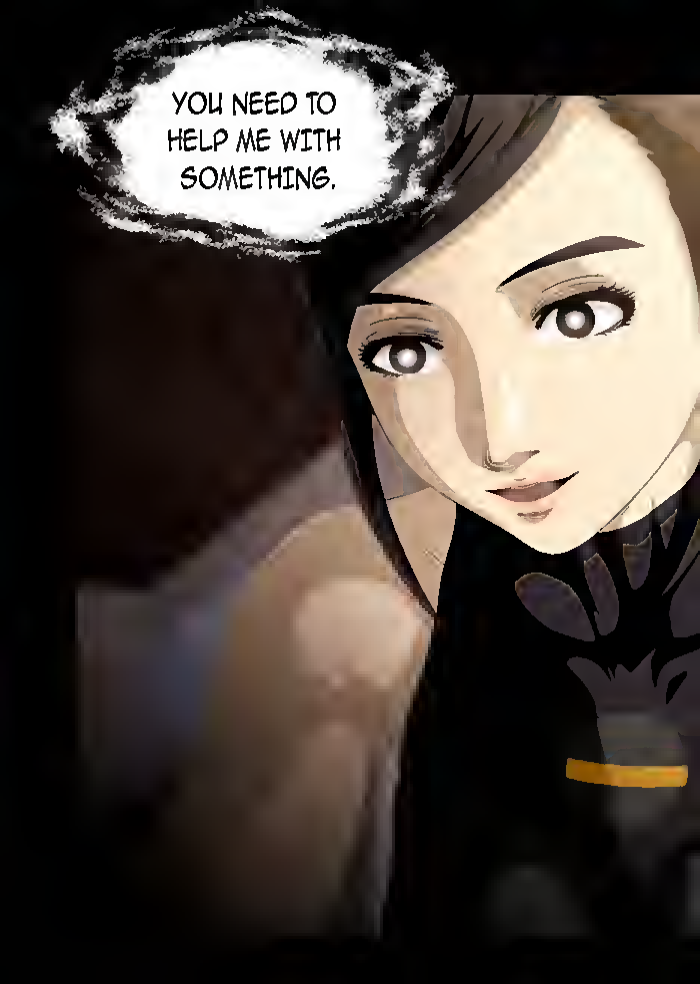
DRAG-

THUMP
AAHHH...
WELL, YOU GUYS WILL BE CURED IN HOURS...
SSH
DON'T BE CRYBABIES!


LET'S SAY YOU TWO WERE FIGHTING, OK?
IF YOU MENTION MY NAME...

AGH!!
POW
YOU MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO EVER TALK AGAIN.


URG!!
AH! ONE MORE THING!
URG!!


YOU NEED TO HELP ME WITH SOMETHING.

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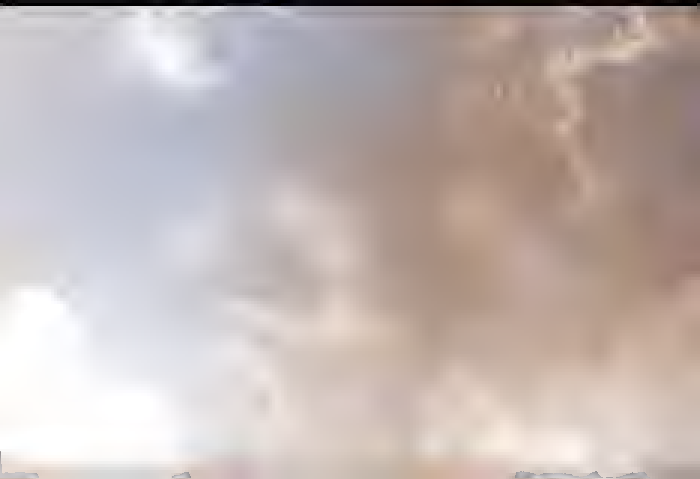

SSSSH

HUMMMM

AH~~
I SLEPT WELL.
YOU REALLY SLEPT WELL, MASTER.
TIP TAP
TIP TAP
TIP TAP

♪♬~
TIP
TAP

UNDER CORPS! ATTENTION!!
HUH? THAT LITTLE KID!
HEY! ATTENTION!
HUP
HUP

SALUTE!!
HUP
HUP

WELCOME! HEROES LIGHTNING AND LIMPID
I'M MASTER SERGEANT TAYLOR. WARDEN OF THE 13TH VILLAIN PRISON
AH! IT WAS REPORTED THAT HERO DARKSLUG WAS COMING, TOO

AH, WHATEVER.
DO YOU SEE HER?

YOU CAN ASK HER ABOUT HIM.
YAWN
DUNT
DUNT

HUH??
P-PINK SPANDEX GIRL!
GRRRRR
GRRRRR
WOW! LOOK WHO'S HERE?

HEY!! THIS GUY DIDN'T SALUTE TO ME WELL!!!
WTF!!
POINT

YOU MISFIT BASTARD! GET YOURSELF TOGETHER!!
KICK

DO YOU KNOW WHO THIS IS?
GET ON YOUR KNEES.
SHE'S THE SIDEKICK OF THE GREAT HERO, DARKSLUG! SHE'S DREAMGIRL!!

IGNORE IT...
GRRRRR
GRRRRR
GRRRRR
ENDURE IT
IF YOU WANT TO
GET OUT OF HERE!

AT EASE!
MS. DREAMGIRL... WHERE'S DARKSLUG?
UC
DISMISSED!!
AH... ABOUT THAT...

HEY, GUARD!! IS THERE ANY WINE?
WE DON'T HAVE ANYTHING LIKE THAT.

HE'LL BE HERE BEFORE THE TRANSFER, TOMORROW.

LONG TIME NO SEE.
LAMIA!
SSSSS

GOOD TO SEE YOU HERE.
TSK
HOW HAVE YOU BEEN?

O-OLIVIA?

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PIETRO.
AS YOU ORDERED, WE TOOK DARKSLUG INTO CUSTODY FOR THE VIOLATION OF
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
PIETRO
THE "PROHIBITION ON HERO'S PROFIT-MAKING ACTIVITIES"
UNEXPECTEDLY, HE WAS COOPERATIVE DURING HIS ARREST

BUT HE DIDN'T COMMIT A FELONY, SO DETAINING HIM FOR 3 OR 4 DAYS MAY BE DIFFICULT.
2 DAYS WON'T BE A PROBLEM.
THAT'S ENOUGH.
GET OUT.

HMMM....
ZING
TAP

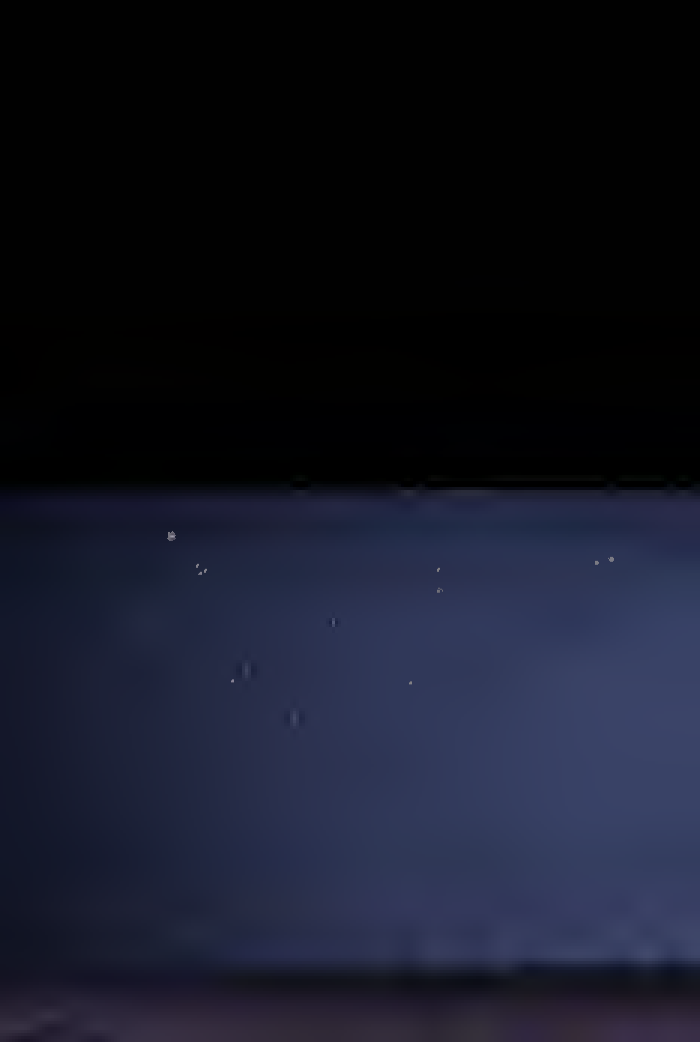
DARKSLUG CLOSED THE CELL DOOR ON HIMSELF!
!!

I'M GOING TO FREE PLUTON TONIGHT.
PHANTOM!!

I TOLD YOU THAT YOU AREN'T SUPPOSED TO BE HERE!!

PIETRO,
AN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBER OR NOT, YOU'RE STILL STUPID.
YOU STILL DON'T KNOW ABOUT ME?

I DON'T EXIST
HERE.



WHOOSH

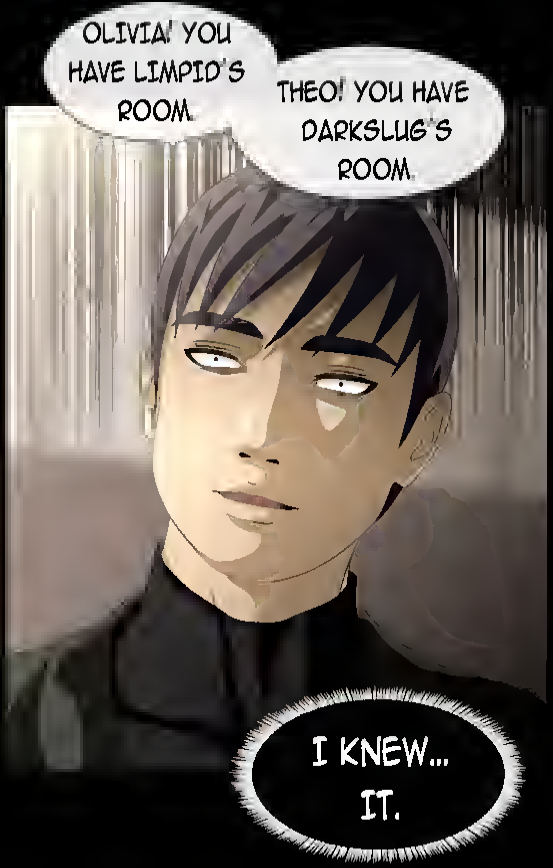
BABY RECRUITS!!!
GATHER AROUND!
CAN'T YOU GUYS
MOVE FASTER??
FASTER!!

I'M SO SORRY.
I FELL ASLEEP...
DITHER
FOOSTER
HE'S THE MISFIT!
NOT ME!

HUH?
WHAT ARE THESE, MASTER SERGEANT?

WHAT DO YOU MEAN WHAT ARE THESE? IT'S FOOD!
WE CAN'T HAVE DIGNIFIED HEROES IN THIS SHABBY CAFETERIA.

SO YOU BABY RECRUITS ARE GIVING THEM ROOM SERVICE!
PRIVATE JUDY'S IN CHARGE OF DISH-WASHING.
YES, SIR!
WHAT?
YOU'VE GOTTA BE KIDDING ME.
RYAN! YOU HAVE LIGHTNING'S ROOM!


OLIVIA! YOU HAVE LIMPID'S ROOM.
THEO! YOU HAVE DARKSLUG'S ROOM.
I KNEW... IT.

ALRIGHT! MOVE! WHEN THE ROOM SERVICE IS DONE.
COME BACK HERE! YOU GUYS ARE ON GUARD DUTY, STARTING TODAY!!

KNOCK
KNOCK

DRRRR
HERO LIMPID! YOUR MEAL IS READY.

HERO LIMPID...
HERO LIMPID?
...I'LL ME LEAVE YOUR MEAL HERE.
OLIVIA...?

I HAD THE HIGHEST GRADES AT THAT COLLEGE. YOU'RE THE ONE WHO BROKE MY RECORD, AREN'T YOU?
SSSS
SO WHY COULDN'T YOU GRADUATE EARLY OR BECOME A SIDEKICK?

IS THERE SOMETHING WRONG WITH YOU?
NOT AT ALL. I JUST WASN'T LUCKY, HERO LIMPID

LUCK? FORGET IT.
LEAVE MY FOOD AND GET OUT.
THUMP
...YES, HERO LIMPID YOU CAN PUT THESE OUTSIDE AFTER YOU'RE DONE EATING.

ZING
CLICK

ZING
HEY! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
HUH? WHAT??
I WAS TOLD TO DELIVER YOUR MEAL

MY MASTER ISN'T HERE AND I DON'T EAT DINNER
I'M ON A DIET. I FEEL LIKE I'VE GAINED WEIGHT
YEAH? THEN I'M TAKING YOUR FOOD BACK

HEY!!
WAIT!
YOU NEED TO COMPLETE YOUR DELIVERY MISSION! SOLDIER!

IT'S SO PEACEFUL IN THIS DESERT.
WHOOSH

IT'S NICE.

HEY, HOW LONG ARE YOU GOING TO MAKE ME FOLLOW YOU?
ARGG... HE'S WINING...

AREN T YOU
GONNA EAT THIS?

COME HERE AND SIT
LET S EAT TOGETHER.
YAP!

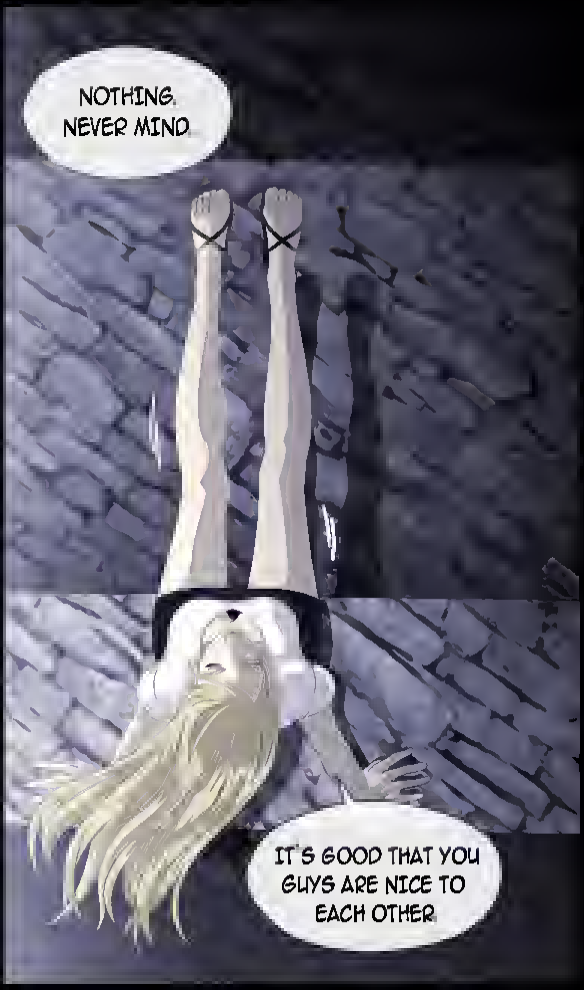
I'M SURE THE MEALS THEY GIVE YOU GUYS AREN'T GOOD.

I FELT BAD ABOUT EARLIER.
BUT WE WON THANKS TO ME.

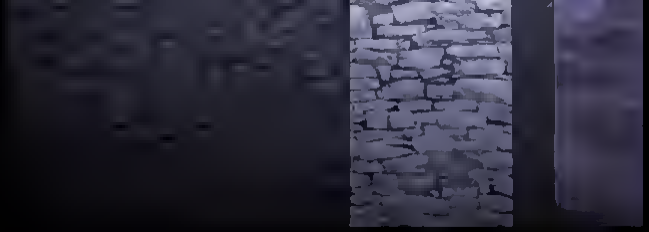
I MEAN, US.
...US?

AH!! DID YOU AND OLIVIA END UP HERE AT THE SAME TIME?
HOW IS SHE?

THE GIRL WHO USES TELEPATHY? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
I MEAN, HOW IS SHE?
HAVE YOU NOTICED ANYTHING WEIRD?
NO. SHE SEEMS FINE. WHY?


NOTHING.
NEVER MIND.
IT'S GOOD THAT YOU GUYS ARE NICE TO EACH OTHER.

BEEEP
HUH?
WHAT'S THAT SOUND?
IT MUST BE THE SIGNAL
FOR THE SHIFT CHANGE



I HAVE TO GO
I HAVE MY FIRST SHIFT TODAY.
I'LL LEAVE YOUR FOOD HERE.
DON'T WASTE IT. EAT IT ALL!

I DON'T WAN'T TO HEAR THAT CRAP. THAT YOU'RE ON A DIET

BOTH HEROS AND SIDEKICKS WORK HARD SO THAT THEY CAN EAT WELL, RIGHT?
HA! HE WAS TRYING SO HARD TO BE COCKY...
KIKI
PITTER-PATTER

HAS HE ALREADY GOTTEN USED TO THE SYSTEM HERE?

TRAMP
TRAMP
TRAMP
I CAN'T BELIEVE I ENDED UP HERE, WASHING DISHES.

I THOUGHT YOU AND I WOULD BE LIGHTING IT UP IN THE SIDEKICK-COURSE
AND ON OUR WAY TO BEING REALLY FAMOUS HEROES
RIGHT, OLIVIA?

DID YOU SEE THAT WITCH, LAMIA, SMIRKING AT OUR SALUTE?
BLAH BLAH
SHE DRESSED LIKE SHE WAS ON VACATION OR SOMETHING.
SHE COULDN'T EVEN GET CLOSE TO US WHEN WE WERE IN COLLEGE

BY THE WAY,
WHERE ARE WE GOING?
OUR ROOMS ARE
NOT IN THIS DIRECTION

WE SHOULD
GET SOME REST BEFORE
OUR SHIFT LATER

JUDY, ABOUT THE ROOM ON THE LOWEST FLOOR...
THE ROOM WHERE THE FIRST DEGREE PRISONER IS?
WHAT KIND OF VILLAIN IS HE?

PLUTON!

WHAT??
S-SERIOUSLY?

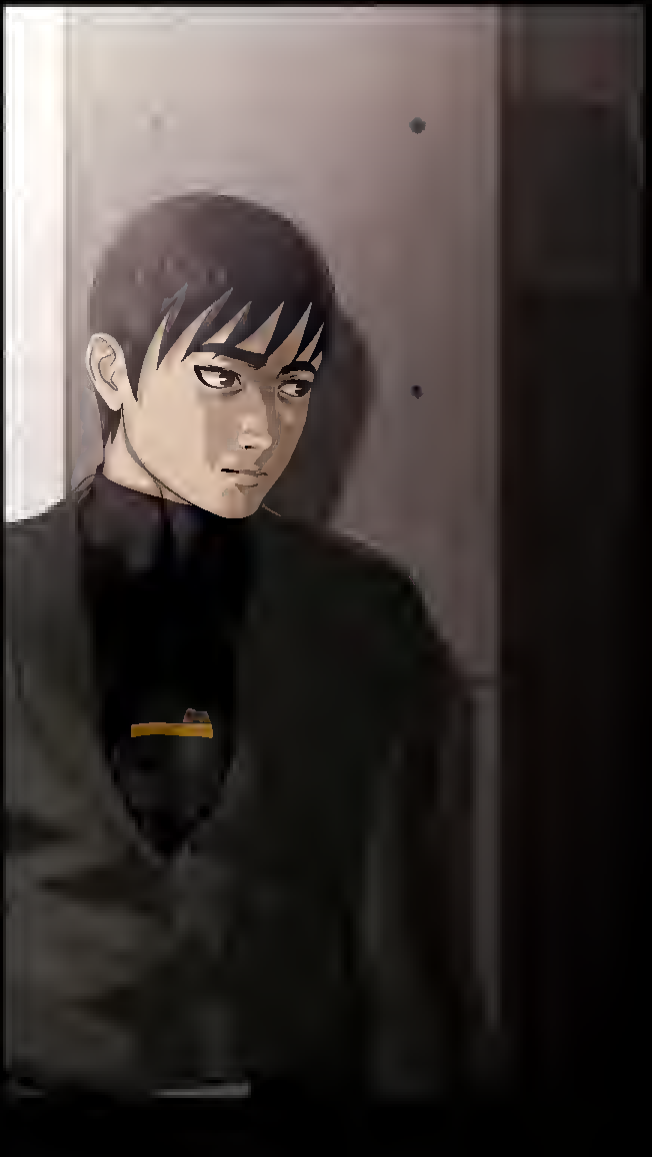
TRAMP
TRAMP
YEP.
I HEARD THE SIDEKICKS WERE GOING TO CHECK THE SECURITY DEVICES.

IF...
HYPOTHETICALLY,
THERE'S A PROBLEM AND PLUTON TRIES TO ESCAPE...

AND THE SIDEKICKS ON DUTY ARE KILLED...
THEN THERE MIGHT BE...

A CHANCE FOR US...

I MEAN...
IF LAMIA...
IS KILLED
IN THE STRUGGLE.



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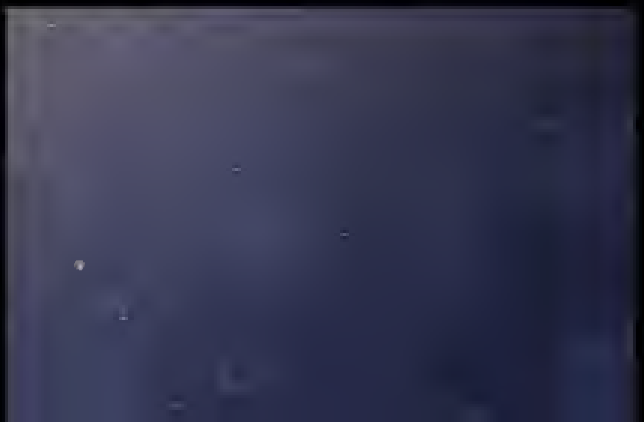
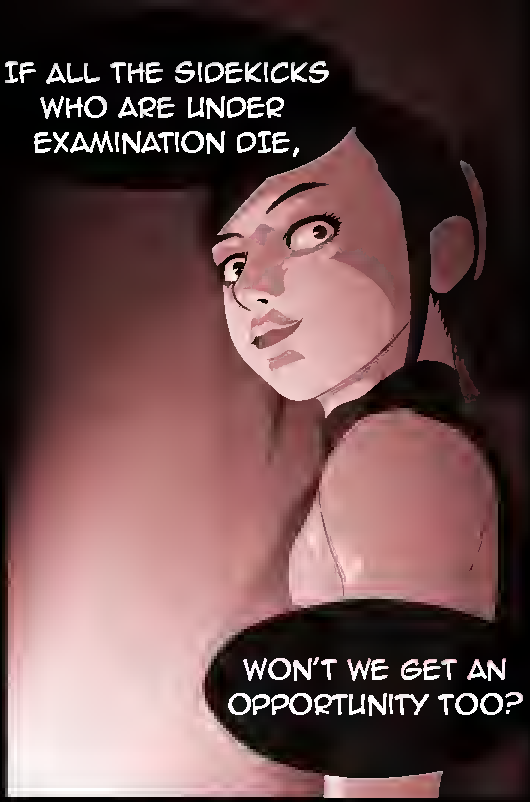


YAWN~

I DIDN'T SEE HER TO BE LIKE THAT...


IF ALL THE SIDEKICKS WHO ARE UNDER EXAMINATION DIE,
WON'T WE GET AN OPPORTUNITY TOO?

YOU WAN'T TO BECOME A HERO THAT MUCH?
I'M SO SICK AND TIRED OF THIS.
HEY, TRAINEE. WATCH THE POST WELL!

I'M GONNA USE THE BATHROOM REAL QUICK.
THAT BASTARD DIDN'T EVEN SAY A WORD.
I REALLY NEED TO PEE, SO I'LL SEE ... I'LL WHEN I GET BACK.
WHO CARES IF SOMEONE DIES OR SOMEONE BECOMES A SIDEKICK.

IT'S ACTUALLY A GOOD THING.
IT WILL BE ALL GOOD IF I JUST GET OUT OF HERE WHILE THEY GO WILD AND DO THAT CRAZY THING.

TIP
TAP

IT'S TIME, THEO.
!!

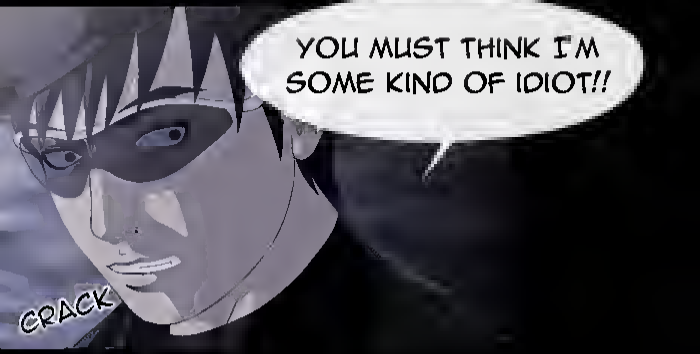
YOU STILL WANT TO GET OUT OF THIS PLACE, RIGHT?
ILL HELP YOU. RIGHT NOW.

PUHAHA-

AH~
IS THAT SO?
?

I WAS GONNA USE THIS SITUATION, BUT IT ENDS UP I GOT STABBED IN THE BACK. HEHEHE
YOU WANT TO USE A DESERTER AS A BAIT AND USE THAT CONFUSION AS AN OPPORTUNITY. IS THAT RIGHT?

I WAS WONDERING WHY YOU WERE PRETENDING TO BE SO INTERESTED IN ME.
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING... THEO?


YOU MUST THINK I'M SOME KIND OF IDIOT!!
CRACK

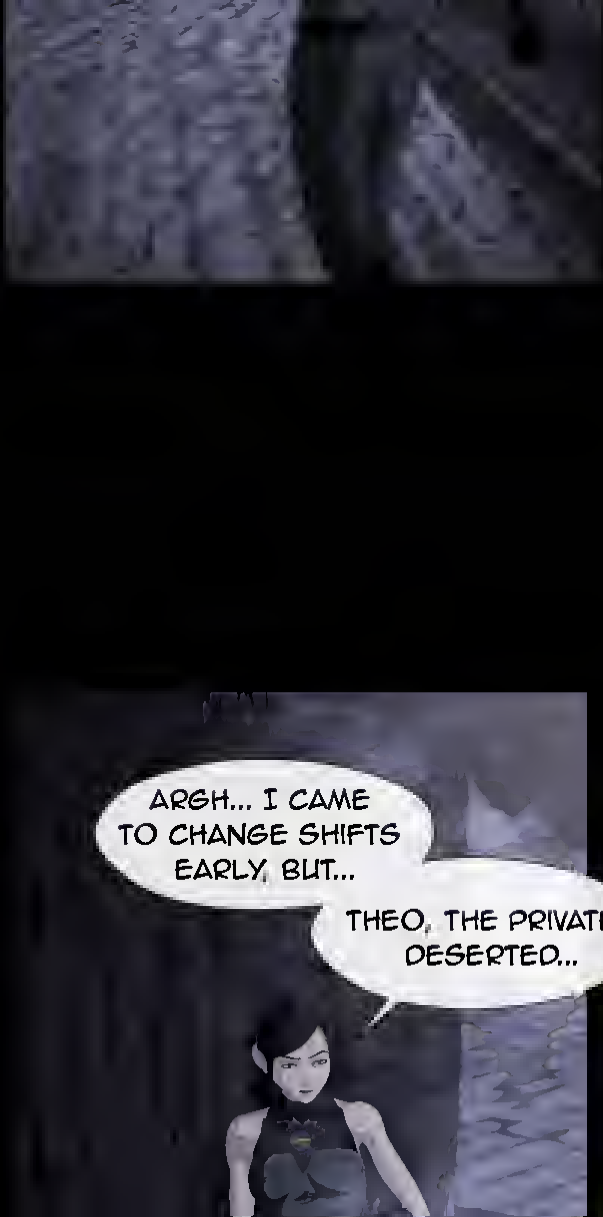
WHAM
ARE YOU STUPID?

IF YOU KNEW, YOU SHOULD HAVE RAN WHEN YOU HAD THE CHANCE.

WITH ALL YOUR STRENGTH.

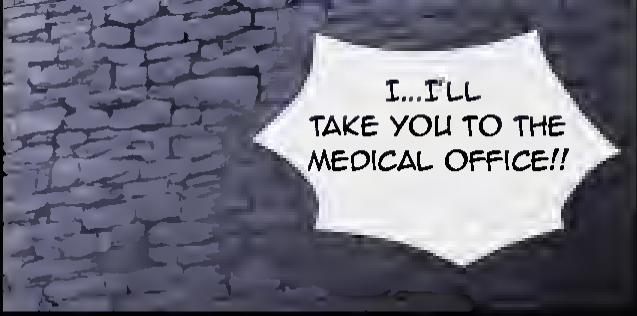
THUD

WHAT THE? WHAT...
JUST HAPPENED?


ARGH... I CAME TO CHANGE SHIFTS EARLY, BUT...
THEO, THE PRIVATE, DESERTED...

THAT COUNCIL BASTARD!!
DON'T WORRY. THERE IS
NOWHERE TO RUN FROM HERE

YOU...ARE YOU OKAY? YOU'RE NOT TOO HURT ARE YOU?
I'M GONNA INFORM THE HEADQUARTERS, SO SIT TIGHT!!


I...I'LL
TAKE YOU TO THE
MEDICAL OFFICE!!

JUDY-
LET'S START.

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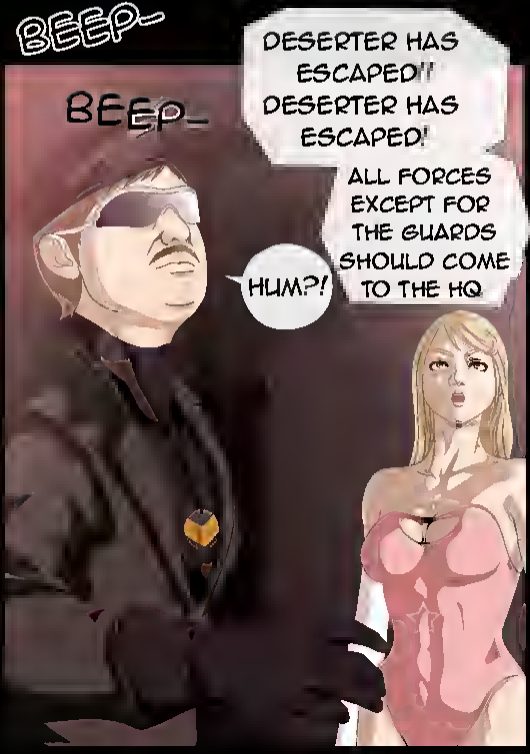
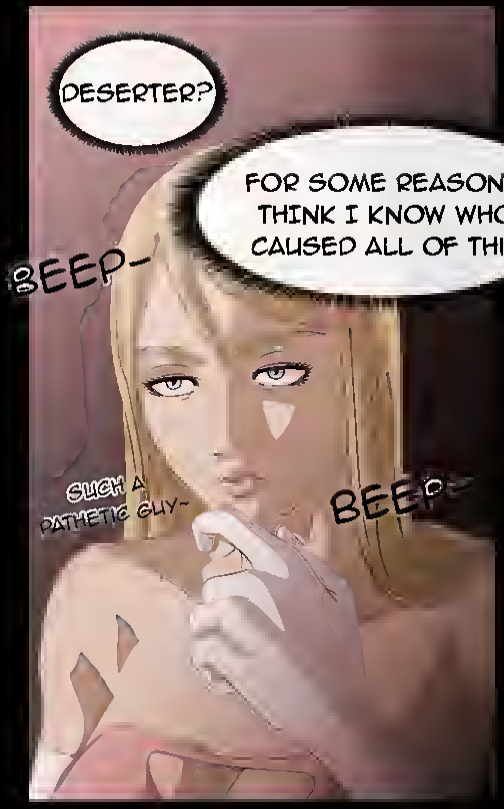
WHIR

MISS DREAM GIRL YOU'RE HERE.
FROM NOW, ALL YOU SIDEKICKS NEED TO CHECK OUT FOR THE PREPARATION OF PLUTON'S TRANSFER.
SPLIT
OKAY!

I'M READY!


BEEP-
BEEP-
DESERTER HAS ESCAPED!! DESERTER HAS ESCAPED!
ALL FORCES EXCEPT FOR THE GUARDS SHOULD COME TO THE HQ
HUM?!

BEEP-
BEEP-
WHAT'S GOING ON?
AH. THIS IS SOMETHING THAT USUALLY HAPPENS ONCE A YEAR.
I'M GONNA GO TO THE HEADQUARTERS, SO DON'T WORRY AND PLEASE EXECUTE YOUR DUTIES.

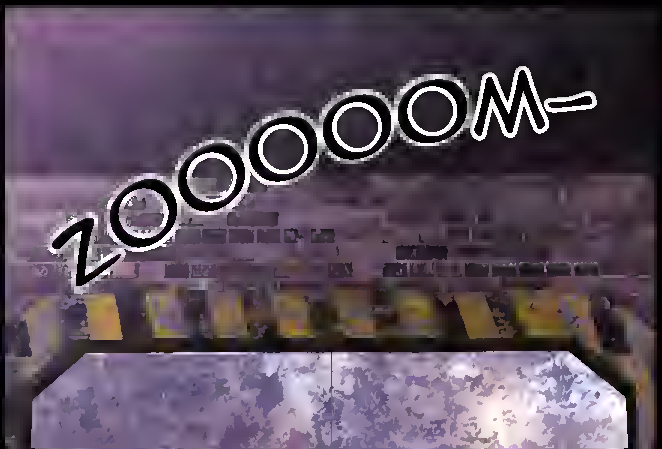

DESERTER?
FOR SOME REASON I THINK I KNOW WHO CAUSED ALL OF THIS.
BEEP-
SUCH A PATHETIC GUY-
BEEP-

BEEP-
AH, WHY IS IT SO LOUD.
HEY, BY ANY CHANCE, HAVE YOU SEEN MY SIDEKICK?
SCREECH
MR. LIGHTNING!!
BEEP-

HUH?
BUT YOU HAVE TO GO TOGETHER FOR THE PRE-INSPECTION DON'T YOU?
DIDN'T YOU EAT TOGETHER IN YOUR ROOM?
BEEP-
BEEP-
BEEP-

HE SAID HE WOULD BRING ME FOOD BUT HE DIDN'T SHOW UP... I SENT MY SIDEKICK TO THE RESTAURANT.
BEEP_
I'M SO HUNGRY...
BEEP_
GRUARG
BUT I HAVEN'T HEARD FROM HIM.

BY ANY CHANCE DID HE FORGET AND ALREADY GO TO THE LOWER LEVEL?
I'LL GO AND CHECK!
PITAPAT
HEY, HOLD ON!! WHAT ABOUT MY FOOD!!


ZOOOOOM—

ALL OF THE SECURITY CAMERAS HAVE BEEN TAMPERED WITH
ALL WE NEED IS THE SIDEKICK'S FINGERPRINT AND IRIS RECOGNITION
WHEN THE SIDEKICKS GO IN, I'LL SUBDUE THEM AND
GET THEIR FINGERPRINTS AND DISARM THE SYSTEM. THEN WE CAN HURRY AND CLOSE THE DOOR

AH, I DON'T KNOW! THIS IS CRAZY.
WILL IT BE POSSIBLE FOR ME TO KNOCK OUT THE SIDEKICKS?
DON'T WORRY. WE'RE COMPLETELY SAFE

JUDY!!
!
PITAPAT-

IT'S YOU THAT'S ON DUTY!
BY ANY CHANCE DID YOU SEE MR. LIGHTNING'S SIDEKICK?

NO, I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM.
WEREN'T YOU SUPPOSED TO BE TAKING THE EXAMINATION TOGETHER?

AH~
THAT'S TRUE BUT...
THERE'S NO TIME.
WELL IT'S A FORMAL EXAMINATION SO I SHOULD HURRY AND GO BY MYSELF, AT LEAST.

DAMN. WE NEED TO TAKE BOTH OF THEM OUT. SO THERE WILL BE 2 SPOTS.
ONE FOR ME, ONE FOR OLIVIA.
THEN PLEASE COME THIS WAY, DREAM GIRL.

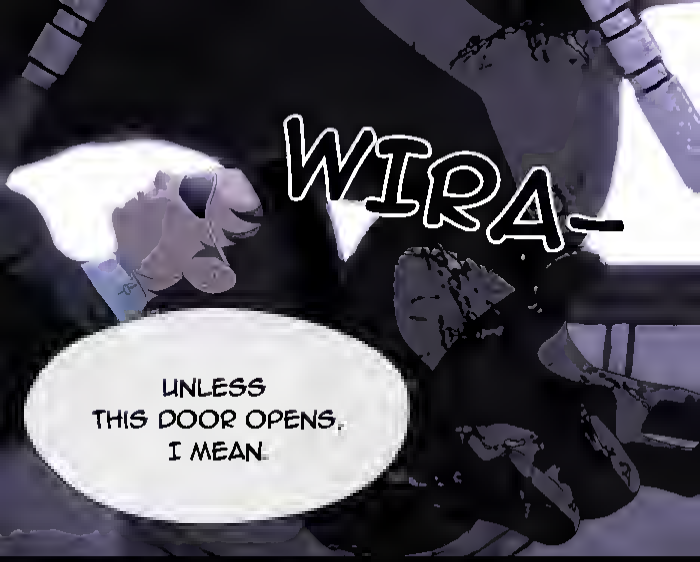
BEEP-
AUTHENTICATION APPROVED.
AN UNDER CORE WORKER CAN OPEN THIS DOOR BUT

THE DOOR WILL OPEN.
CRANK
CRANK
SQUEAK

SQUEAK
THE SECURITY SYSTEM IN THE BACK CAN ONLY BE UNLOCKED BY HEROES AND SIDEKICKS.

EVEN IF THE SYSTEM BREAKS DOWN AND PLUTON GETS OUT OF HIS CELL, THE DOOR AND WALLS HAVE THE SUPER HIGH TENSED BARRIER
THAT CANNOT BE DESTROYED, SO THERE IS NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT.
AH~OKAY.

WIRA-
SO YOU'RE SAYING THAT EVEN IF IT'S PLUTON, YOU CAN'T COME OUT.


WIRA-
UNLESS
THIS DOOR OPENS,
I MEAN.

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우드득

PL... PLUTON!!
WE HAVE TO CLOSE THE DOOR!!!

VOONG_
ARGH!

POW
WHAM

ZZING-

FLOP
THE RESTRAINING DEVICE WAS DESTROYED?

IS THE SYSTEM DOWN?
BEEP
BEEP
NO ONE WOULD DISARM IT ON PURPOSE...

THE SECURITY SYSTEM IN THE BACK
HUH?
CAN ONLY BE UNLOCKED BY HEROES AND SIDEKICKS.

MR. LIGHTNING'S SIDEKICK?!!

BY ANY CHANCE, THE ONE WHO DISARMED THE SYSTEM...

SHOOOOAH

ROAR
FLOP

OKAY, PLUTON! LET'S SEE HOW STRONG YOU REALLY ARE.

MY POWER
POW
IS AT THE SAME LEVEL AS MOST HEROES!!

WHACK
NOW THAT IT HAS HAPPENED, I'LL KILL YOU AND BE HONORED...

CRACK

AH...IF IT'S JUDY, SHE CAN WITHSTAND IT A BIT LONGER!

THE DOOR!!
I NEED TO CLOSE
THE DOOR.
I HAVE TO MAKE
SURE PLUTON
DOESN'T GET OUT!!!

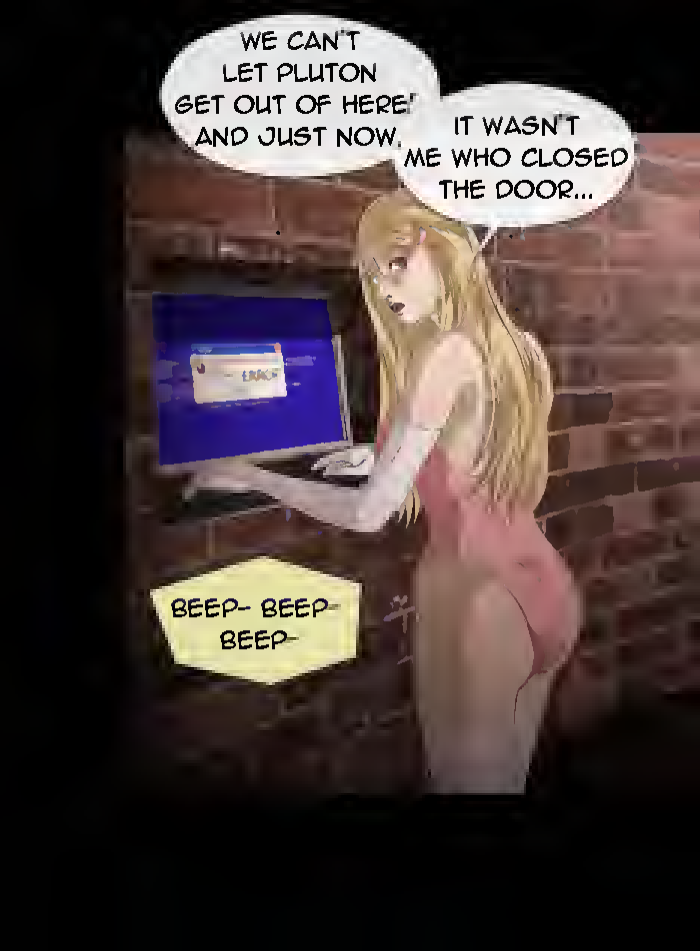
EVEN IF WE GET LOCKED UP IN HERE!!
TAP

EURGH...

THE DOOR WILL SEAL.

KAKAKAKA-

LAMIA, THAT CRAZY B*TCH!!
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU DOING!!


WE CAN'T LET PLUTON GET OUT OF HERE! AND JUST NOW.
IT WASN'T ME WHO CLOSED THE DOOR...
BEEP- BEEP- BEEP-

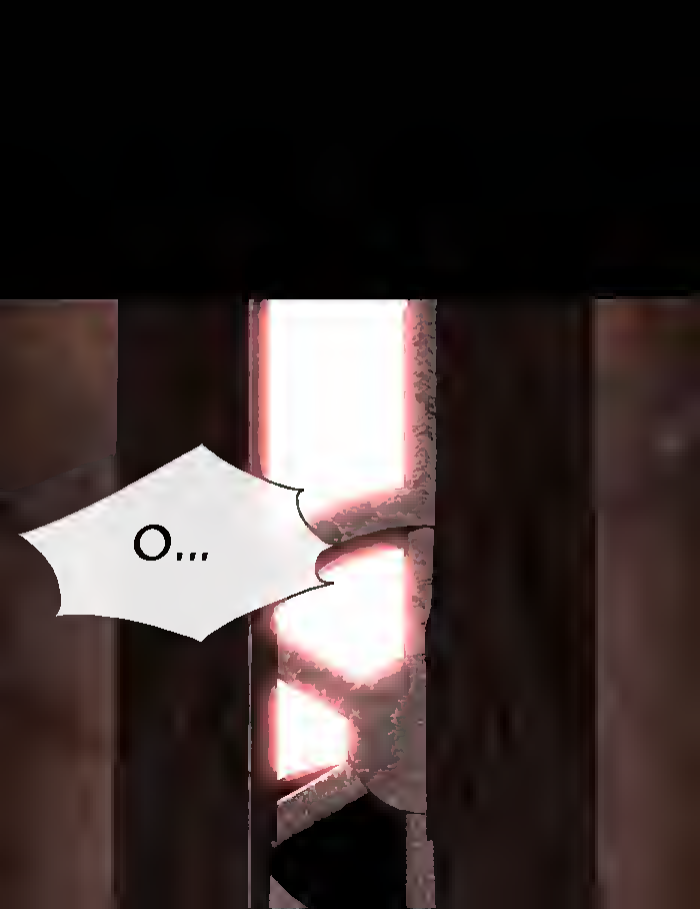
DAMN IT!
I... I HAVE TO GET OUT OF HERE!!
TURN-
I CAN'T DIE HERE IN VAIN!!

KAKAKAKAKAK-

AH!
THE DOOR... STOP THE DOOR!!

OLIVIA!!

THE DOOR!!!
CRANK-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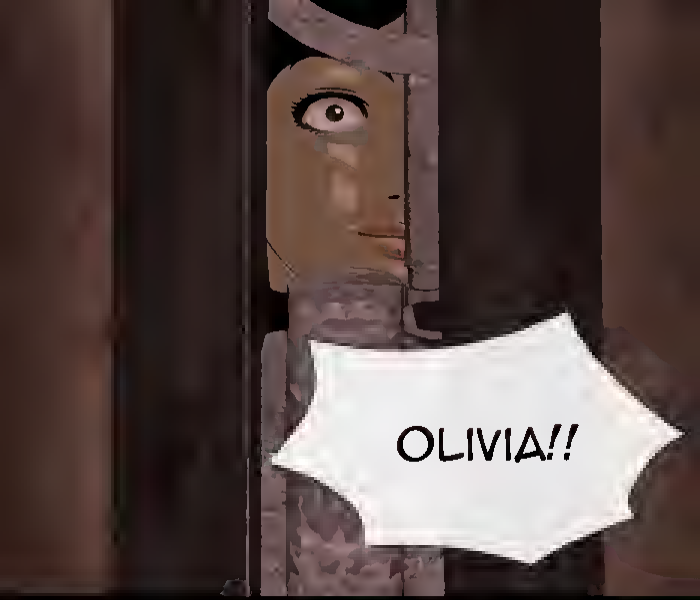
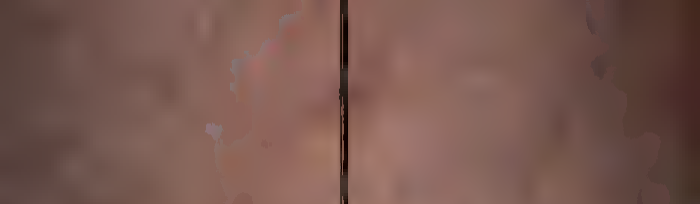

OLIVIA!!

THUD



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SQUEEEEAK-
OLIVIA!

HOLD THE DOOR!!
O...

OLIVIA!!

THUD

OLIVIA!!
GROWL
OLIVIA!!

GET YOURSELF TOGETHER, JUDY!!
OLIVIA PROBABLY HAD NO CHOICE BUT TO LOCK US IN SO THAT PLUTON DOESN'T GET OUT!!!
PHAT

CRASH

WHAT
THE HELL?!!

SWISH
WHAT THE HELL DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?!!

SHUT UP!! YOU DON'T KNOW ANYTHING!
WE'RE ALL GOING TO DIE NOW!!! WE'RE DEAD I TELL YOU!

GROWL

DON'T GIVE UP! LET'S TRY TO HANG ON.
THE HEROES WILL COME. UNTIL THEN!

WHIR-
WHIR-
WHIR-

WHIR-
PHEW- NOW, I FEEL ALIVE.
WHIR-
NOM NOM
YUM YUM
WHY ISN'T THAT SIREN TURNING OFF?

WHIR-
AH, IT'S SO LOUD
WHIR-
RUSTLE
RUSTLE
WHIR-

WHIR-
WHIR-
IT'S DAMN LOUD.
WHIR-

WHIR-
HAVE THEY NOT CAUGHT THE DESERTER YET?
WHIR-
WHIR-

WHIR-
WHIR-
WHIR-

YOU ARE SO DEAD.
IF I SHOULD LEAVE, I'LL WALK OUT ON MY OWN FEET.

SHE ATE EVERYTHING.
WOW~ SHE SAID SHE WAS ON A DIET BUT SHE EVEN WIPED THE PLATE CLEAN?

SIT HERE. LET'S EAT TOGETHER.
I DON'T THINK THEY SERVE YOU NICE MEALS HERE.

IF LAMIA DIES AT THAT PLACE.

SHE SHOULD HAVE AT LEAST CLEAN THE PLATE UP WHEN SHE FINISHED EATING
I'M GOING TO FIND HER RIGHT NOW AND PUNISH HER!!

SIDEKICKS

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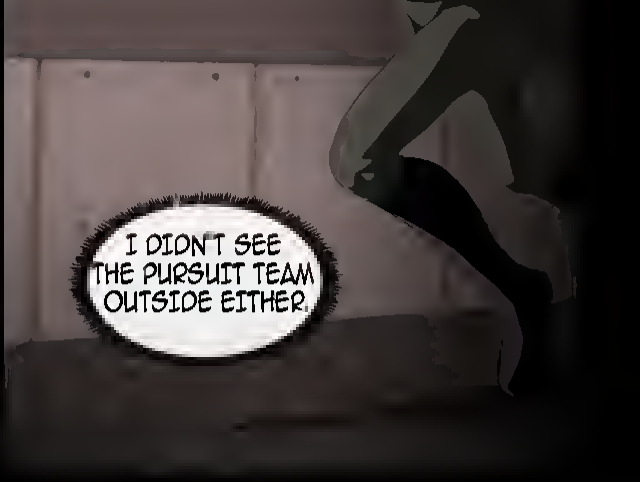
WHIR-
SOMETHING SEEMS OFF.
I CAN'T SENSE THE PRESENCE OF OTHER PEOPLE.
WHIR-


I DIDN'T SEE THE PURSUIT TEAM OUTSIDE EITHER.

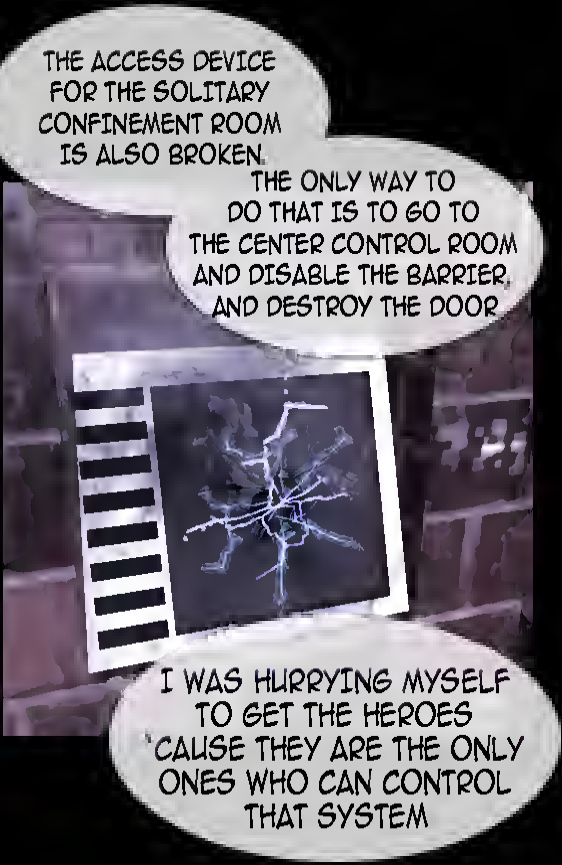
UH-OH!
PHAT
!!
PHAT

OH, YOU SCARED ME. YOU... I HEARD THAT YOU'RE THE DESERTER FOR SURE...
FLOP

I WILL.
I JUST HAVEN'T DONE IT YET.
BUT WHERE DID EVERYONE GO?

HEY!
THIS IS REALLY BAD!
PLUTON HAS AWOKEN.
JUDY AND THE SIDEKICKS
ARE TRAPPED
INSIDE.
I DON'T KNOW IF
EVERYONE WENT AFTER
THE DESERTER.
BUT I DON'T
SEE ANY CORPSMEN!!

SO, THEY REALLY DID WHAT THEY WERE PLANNING TO DO?
BUT... HOW DID JUDY GET TRAPPED?


THE ACCESS DEVICE FOR THE SOLITARY CONFINEMENT ROOM IS ALSO BROKEN.
THE ONLY WAY TO DO THAT IS TO GO TO THE CENTER CONTROL ROOM AND DISABLE THE BARRIER, AND DESTROY THE DOOR
I WAS HURRYING MYSELF TO GET THE HEROES 'CAUSE THEY ARE THE ONLY ONES WHO CAN CONTROL THAT SYSTEM

WHAT ARE THEY DOING AT SUCH AN EMERGENT SITUATION LIKE THIS?
SSH
THEO! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

EVEN IF WE GO, THERE'S NOTHING WE CAN DO.
THE PEOPLE TRAPPED IN THE ROOM ARE MOST LIKELY DEAD BY NOW...
FINDING THE HEROES AS FAST AS POSSIBLE IS THE ONLY THING WE CAN DO...

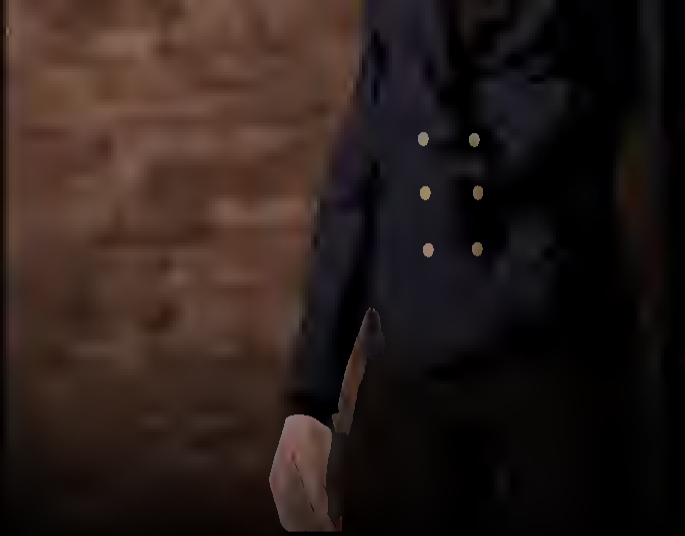
HEY... EVEN IF IT WERE YOU WHO'S ABOUT TO DIE, WOULD YOU JUST WAIT FOR THE HEROES TO COME?

TOMORROW IS THE DAY TO TRANSFER PRISONS. WHY OUT OF ALL DAYS...
WOULD THE 13TH PRISON BE ALRIGHT...?

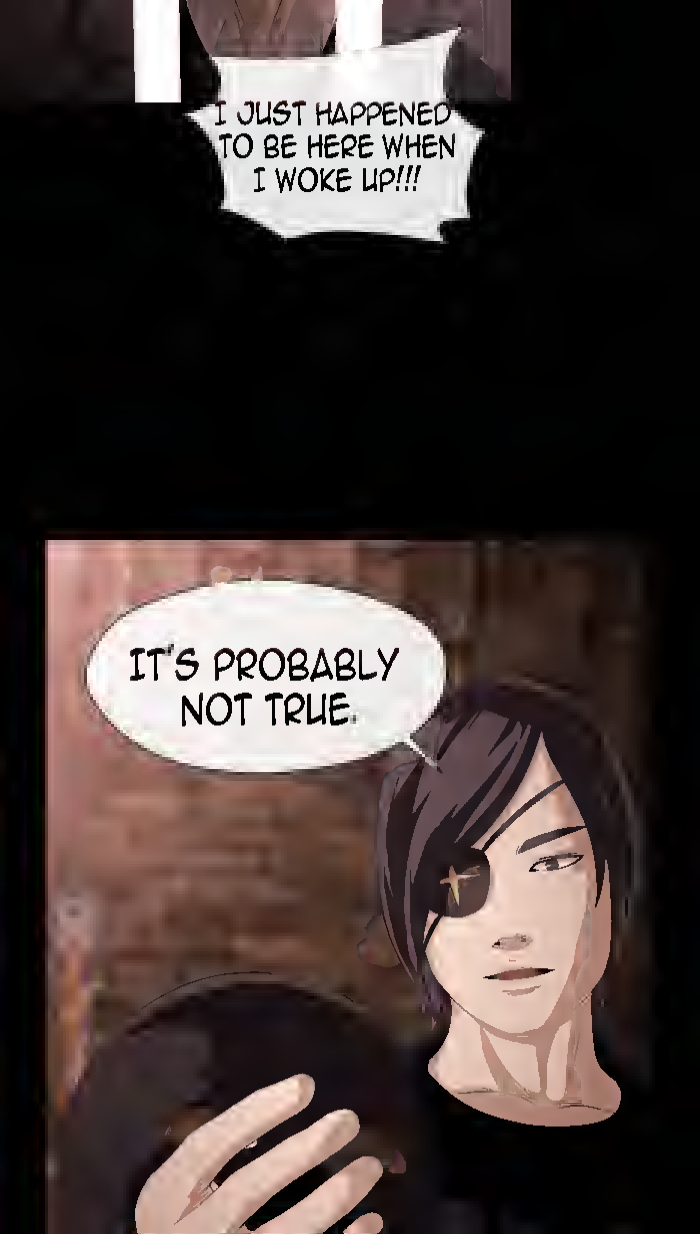
RIGHT NOW, THE DESERT STORM IS SO STRONG THAT COMMUNICATIONS ARE DOWN.
SOMETHING'S NOT RIGHT...

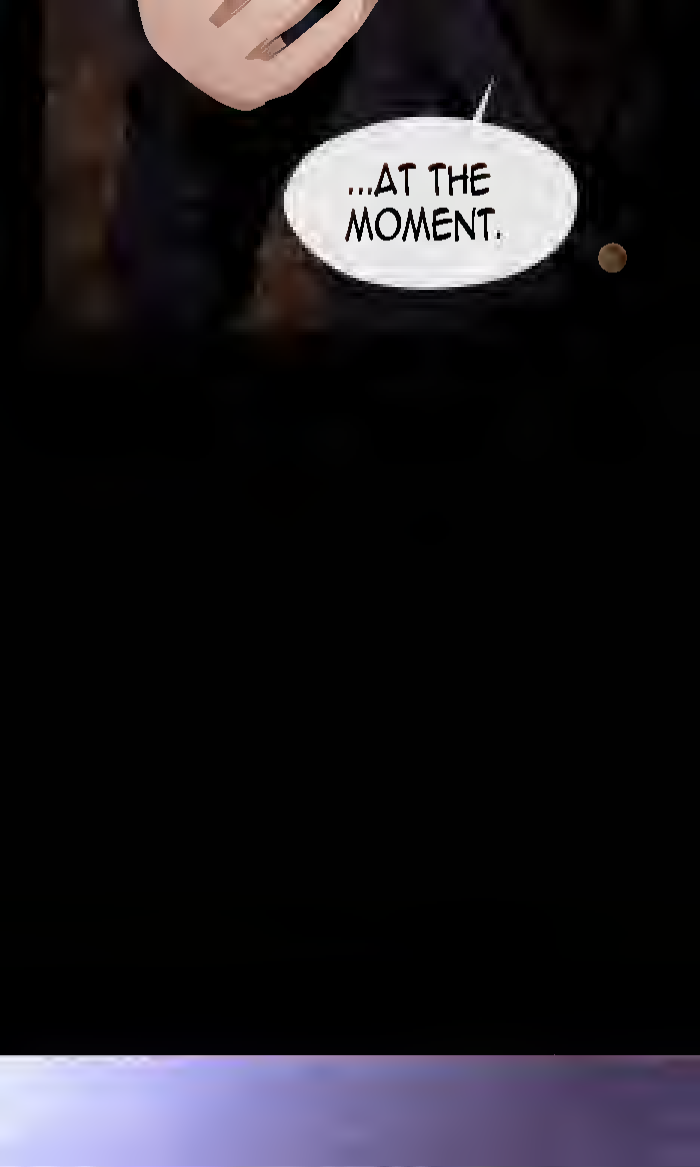
THIS IS HIM.
I CAUGHT HIM TRYING TO SNEAK OUT FROM THE BUILDING
PLEASE LET ME GO!

PHANTOM?!!



SNATCH
KYLE! ARE YOU SAYING THAT THIS IS PHANTOM THE VILLAIN??!


I JUST HAPPENED TO BE HERE WHEN I WOKE UP!!!
IT'S PROBABLY NOT TRUE.


...AT THE MOMENT.

SHOOOSH-
SHOOOOOOOSH-

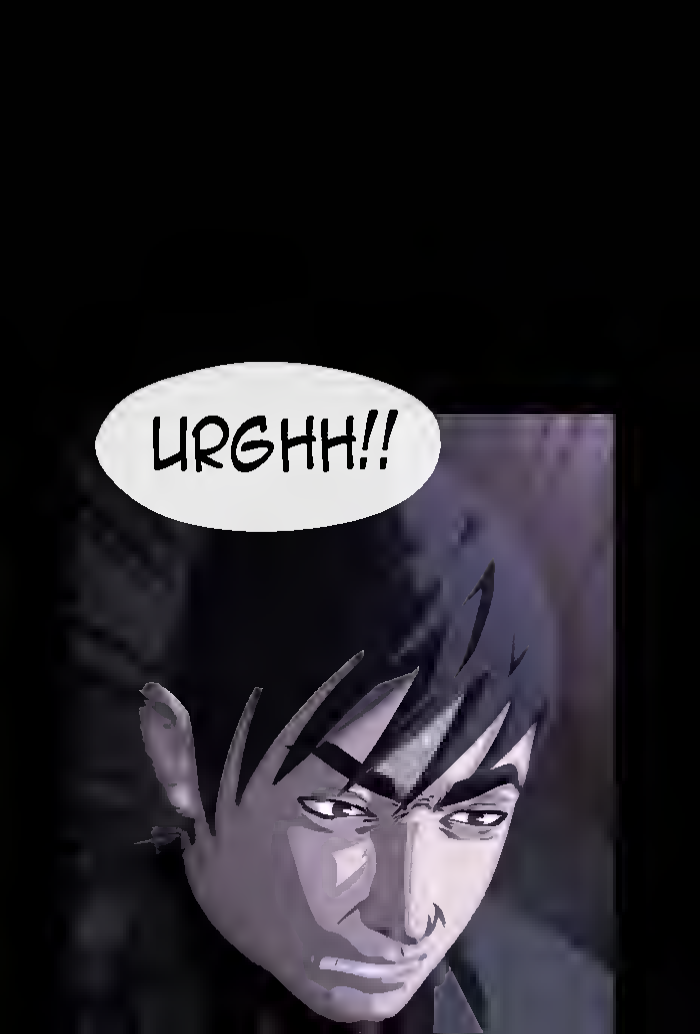
KATA KATA KATA

WHAT, THERE'S NOBODY HERE?
EVEN THE DESERTER PURSUIT TEAM WEREN'T THERE. WHAT IN THE WORLD IS HAPPENING?

HEY!!
CAN YOU HEAR
ME IN THERE?!!
BANG BANG
PINK SPANDEX!!
ARE YOU ALIVE?

HANG IN THERE!
GRAB

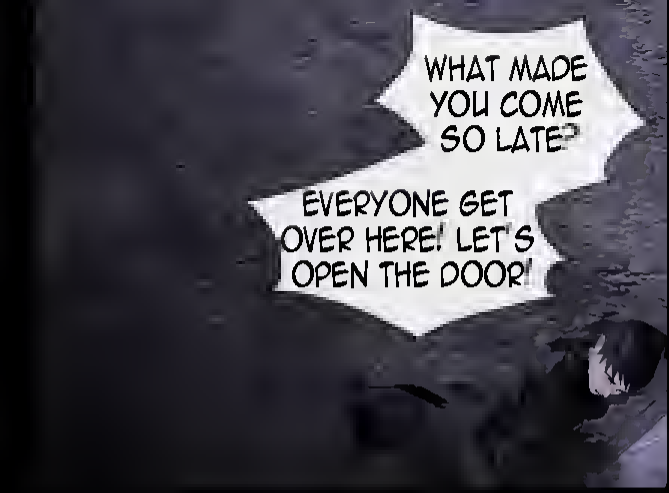
GRAB
I'LL OPEN THE DOOR!!


URGHH!!

DAMN, IT WON'T BUDGE!
TRAMP
TRAMP

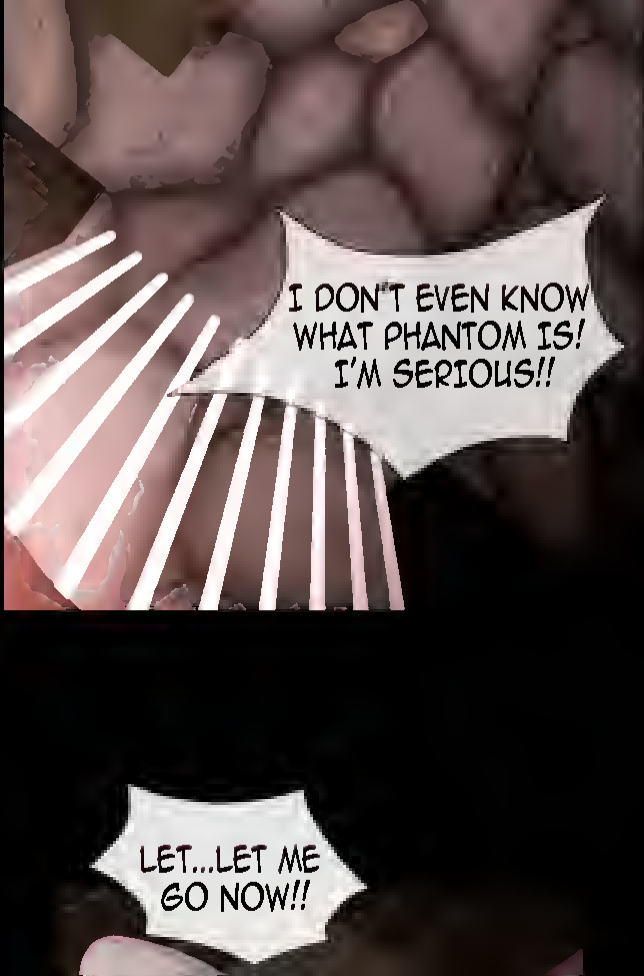
!!
TRAMP
TRAMP

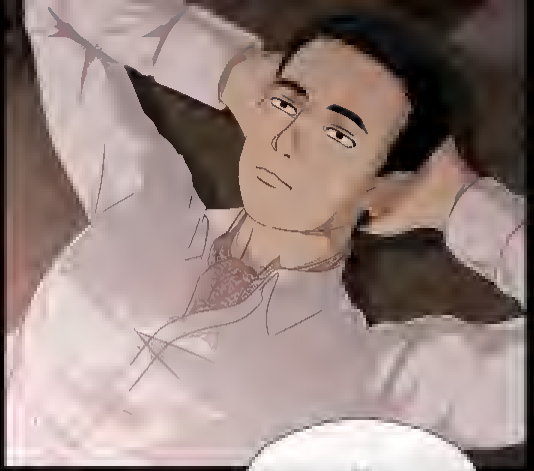
TRAMP
TRAMP
TRAMP


WHAT MADE YOU COME SO LATE?
EVERYONE GET OVER HERE! LET'S OPEN THE DOOR!

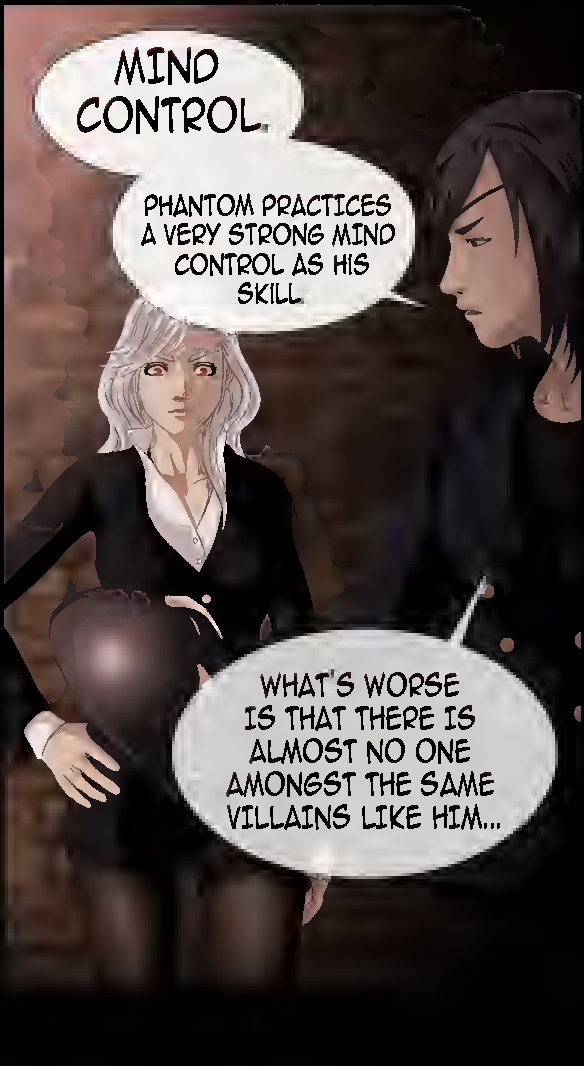
YOU'RE SAYING HE'S NOT PHANTOM "AT THE MOMENT"?!

HE'S RIGHT!!
IT'S NOT ME!


I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT PHANTOM IS! I'M SERIOUS!!
LET...LET ME GO NOW!!

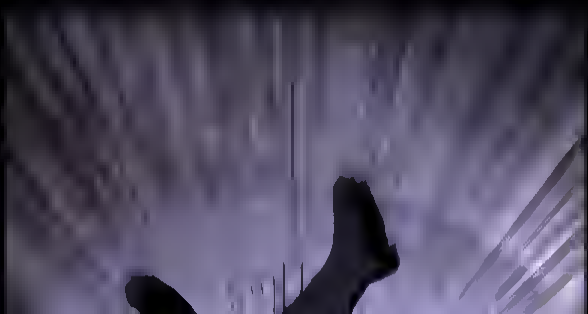

HE ISN'T LYING RIGHT NOW.

THIS MASK IS USED TO CONTROL SOMEONE WHO'S FAR AWAY FROM HIM.

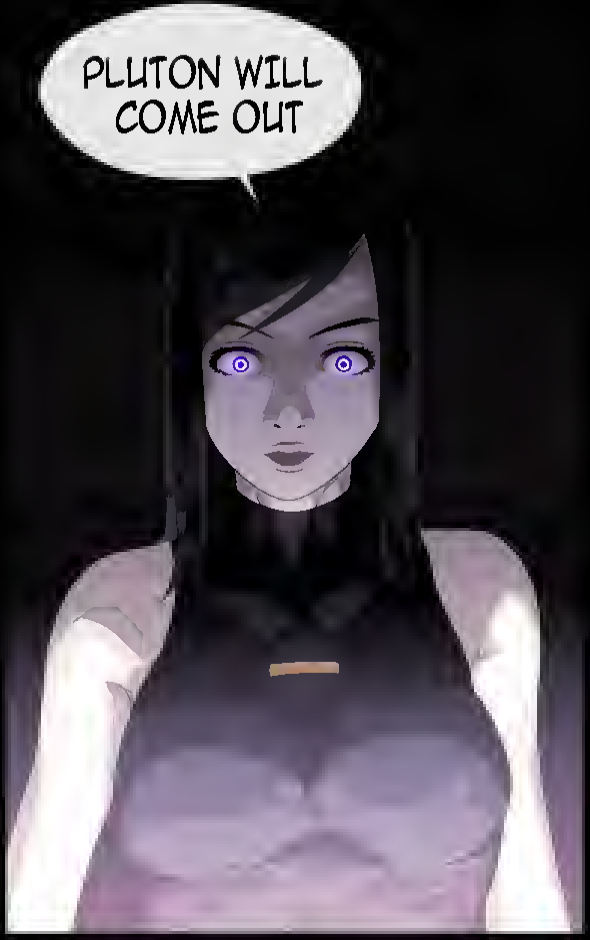

MIND CONTROL.
PHANTOM PRACTICES A VERY STRONG MIND CONTROL AS HIS SKILL.
WHAT'S WORSE IS THAT THERE IS ALMOST NO ONE AMONGST THE SAME VILLAINS LIKE HIM...

WHO HAS EVER SEEN THE REAL PHANTOM.

OOF!!
CRASH



EVEN IF YOU TRY SO HARD...
WHEN THE BARRIER GETS DISARMED BY THE HEROES,


PLUTON WILL
COME OUT

OLIVIA... IS THAT WHAT YOU WERE REALLY UP TO?
DO THE OTHER SOLDIERS HAVE THE SAME GOAL AS WELL?!!

BEFORE THAT,
SSH
ANYONE CREATING A DISTURBANCE

SHOULD BE ELIMINATED.
PHAT

YOU FREAKING TRAITORS!!!

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BEFORE THAT, EVERYONE CREATING A DISTURBANCE

SHOULD BE ELIMINATED
PHAT

YOU FREAKING TRAITORS!!!

WHAM

POW

SMACK

SWOOSH-
WHAM

POW

THUD

TAP

THERE'S SO MANY OF HER TEAMMATES CROWED HERE, BUT

SHE'S GONNA THROW A BEAM BUSTER?!!

BEAM

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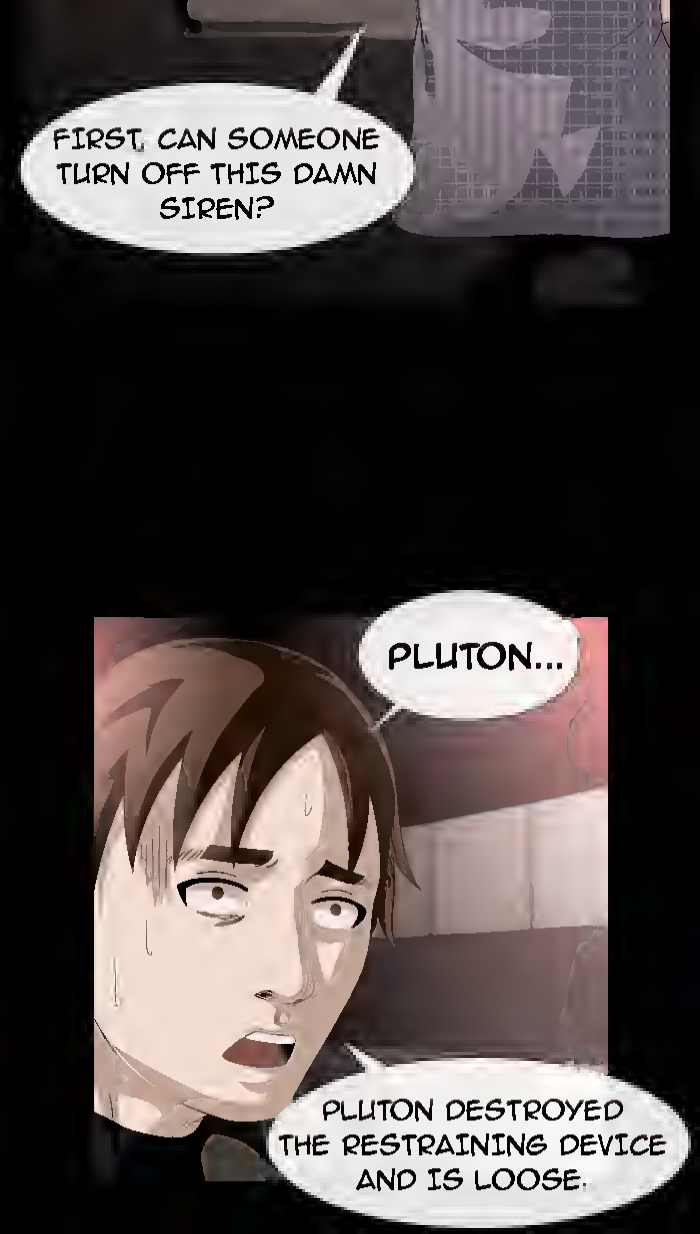
BURP

AH~ THAT WAS A GOOD MEAL.
WHIRR-
WHIRR-
WHIRR-

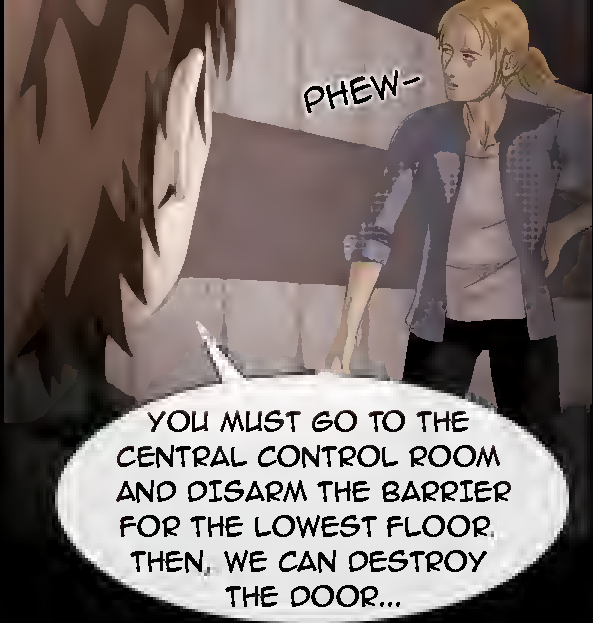
HERE YOU ARE! S...SOMETHING BAD HAS HAPPENED!
WHIRR-
WHAT IS IT? IS IT A GROUP DESERTION?
WHIRR-


FIRST, CAN SOMEONE TURN OFF THIS DAMN SIREN?
PLUTON...
PLUTON DESTROYED THE RESTRAINING DEVICE AND IS LOOSE.

FLOP

OH, I...I SLIPPED
DON'T BOTHER.

BY ANY CHANCE, ...PLUTON DIDN'T GET OUT OF THE SOLITARY CONFINEMENT ROOM, DID HE?
SIDEKICKS AND MY COLLEAGUE ARE TRAPPED IN THERE!!


PHEW-
YOU MUST GO TO THE CENTRAL CONTROL ROOM AND DISARM THE BARRIER FOR THE LOWEST FLOOR. THEN, WE CAN DESTROY THE DOOR...

YOU CRAZY BASTARD!!
IF WE DO THAT, PLUTON CAN ESCAPE FROM THIS PRISON!!
POW
OOF!

THEN EVERYONE HERE INCLUDING YOU WILL DIE AND
THE SURROUNDING CITIES WILL BE IN DANGER AS WELL.
THE ONLY THING WE CAN DO IS REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE AND WAIT.

HOW...
COULD A HERO
SAY SO...?

HEY, KID! LISTEN CAREFULLY.
SWOOP
SOMEONE LIKE YOU WOULDN'T KNOW TOO WELL, BUT!!

HEROES COME TO COUNTLESS TIMES WHERE THEY HAVE TO MAKE A DECISION
DO I SAVE ONE PERSON OR DO I SAVE THOUSANDS... NO, TENS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE...?

WHICH DO YOU THINK IS MORE REASONABLE?

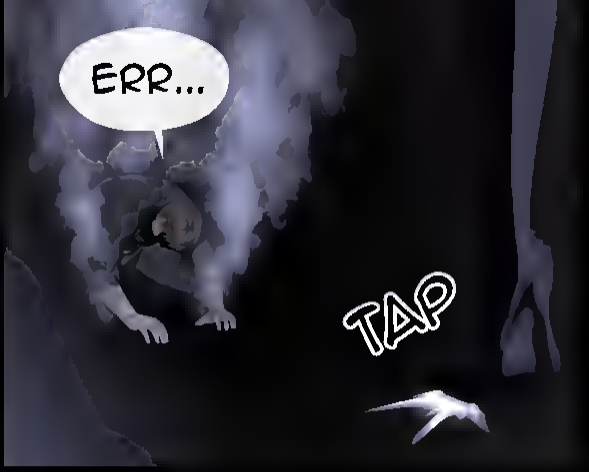
BEAM

MOVE!!
THUD

KRGH!!
ZOOM-

EVERYONE, STEP BACK!!
NOW!!

KABOOM


ERR...
TAP

SERGEANT TYLOR!!!

THESE GUYS ARE NOT T...TRAITORS.
COUGH
COUGH

THEY ARE BEING MIND CONTROLLED.

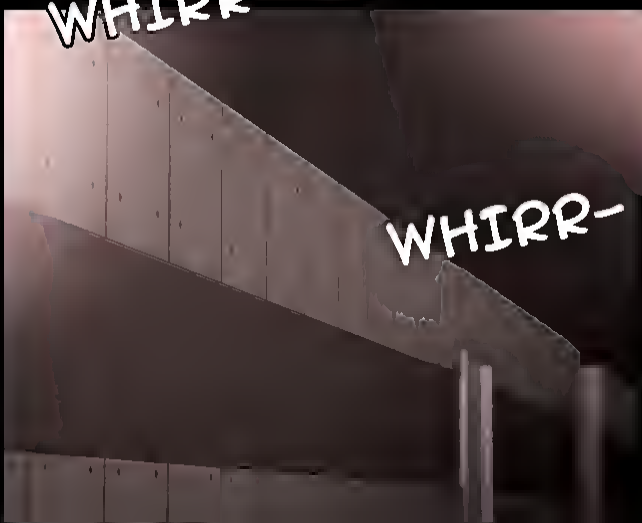
THE WEAKER THEIR MENTAL STRENGTH OR THE MORE TWISTED THEIR THOUGHTS ARE,

THE EASIER THEIR MIND ARE TO BE CONTROLLED
TIP
TAP

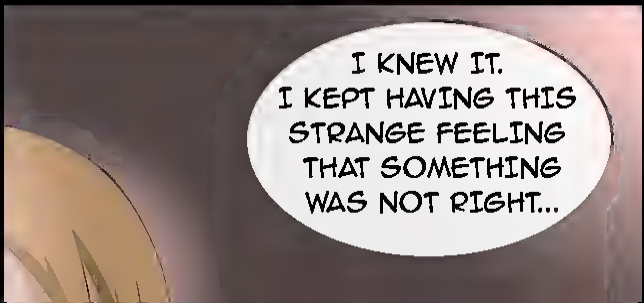
SMACK

THUD

Y...YOU ARE ALL STILL M...MY SUBORDINATES
HALT
HALT
HALT
I CAN'T LET ANY OF YOU GUYS DIE


WHIRR-
WHIRR-

WHIRR-
I'M GONNA GO REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE, SO
WHIRR-
YOU GO HIDE SOMEWHERE IF YOU DON'T WANT TO DIE
WHIRR-
FLOP


I KNEW IT.
I KEPT HAVING THIS STRANGE FEELING THAT SOMETHING WAS NOT RIGHT...

DO YOU THINK
A HERO WHO CAN'T
EVEN SAVE ONE LIFE...
SSH

CAN SAVE TENS OF THOUSANDS OF LIVES?

GET UP.
WHIRR-
WHIRR-
TAKE ME TO THE CENTRAL CONTROL ROOM.

I'M GONNA DISCONNECT THE BARRIER AND SAVE THE PEOPLE TRAPPED INSIDE.

THAT KID HAS LOST IT... OKAY, LET'S SEE HOW YOU HANDLE THIS.
I'M GONNA SLIP OFF TO THE SIDE ONCE I OPEN THE DOOR. SO, DON'T ASK ME TO COME SAVE YOU.

TAYLOR...
SERGEANT TAYLOR...
YES, IT'S... ME. GET YOURSELVES TOGETHER... PLEASE...

PRIVATE THEO!
LISTEN
CAREFULLY!!

IF YOU WANT THESE GUYS TO COME TO THEIR SENSES,
YOU HAVE TO GET RID OF THE REAL PHANTOM.

TIP
TAP
YOU TALK TOO MUCH, SERGEANT!
SSH

OLIVIA!!!
SWISH

SMACK!

THUD

KRGH!!!

ZUNK
THE REAL P...PHAN...
WOBBLE

WOBBLE

S...SERGEANT TAYLOR.

FLOP

AT ALL COSTS...

T...THE REAL PHANTOM...

FLASH

EMM...
SSH

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DIE.

ARGH!!!
ZUNK

FLOP

SERGEANT TAYLOR!!
DASH

YOU BASTARDS!!
FZZZ'

Y...YOU ARE ALL STILL M...MY SUBORDINATES.
I CAN'T LET ANY OF YOU GUYS DIE.

DAMN!!

POW

WHAT ARE YOU GUYS WAITING FOR?
KILL HIM.

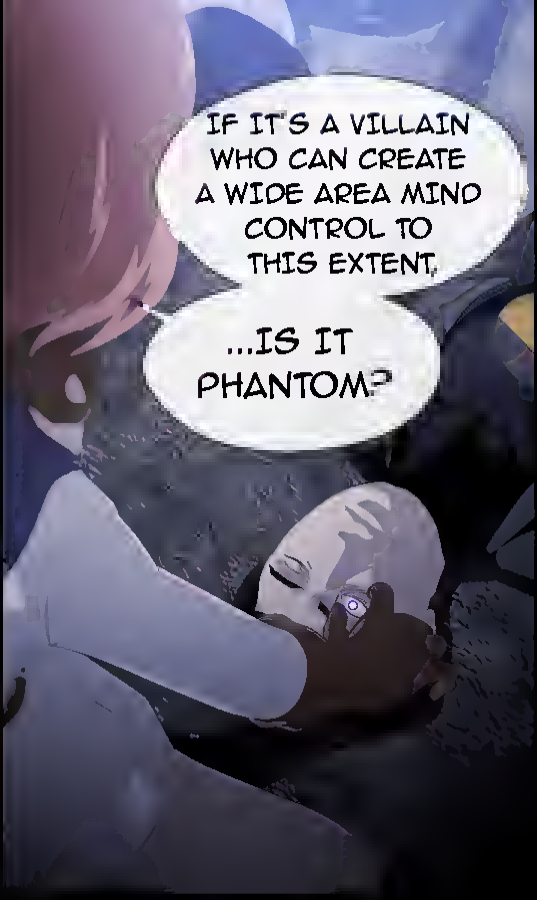
SWISH

PZZZT...
PZZT

FLOP

THEO!!
FLAP
STOP BEING SUCH A DRAMA QUEEN.

I'M ONLY MAKING YOU PASS OUT-
FLUTTER
PZZT-


IF IT'S A VILLAIN WHO CAN CREATE A WIDE AREA MIND CONTROL TO THIS EXTENT,
...IS IT PHANTOM?

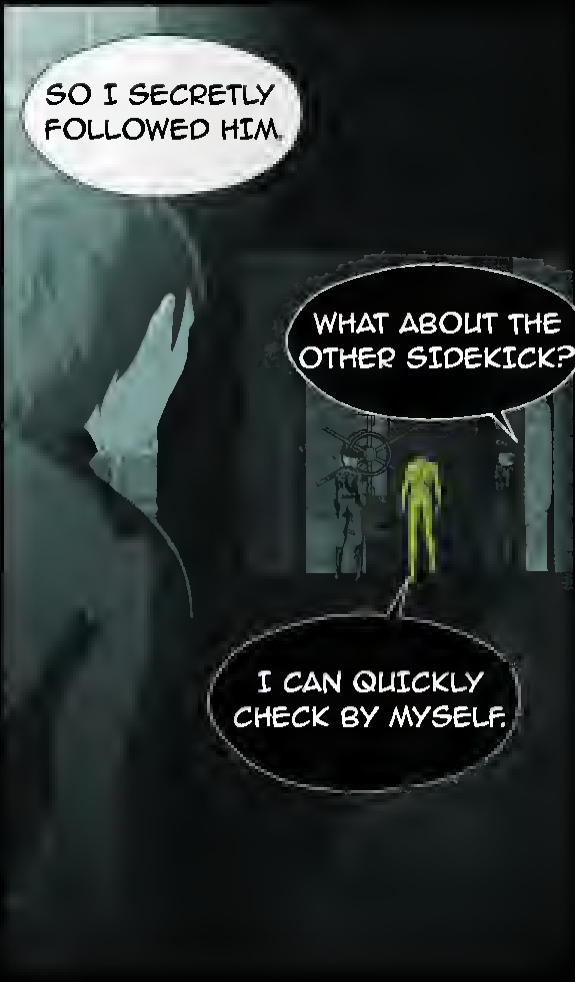
IF PHANTOM IS AMONG US, THIS IS GOING TO BE TROUBLESOME. BEFORE WE BREAK DOWN THE DOOR,
TELL US EXACTLY WHAT HAPPENED
AH, OKAY. ABOUT THAT...

WHEN I WAS ORDERED FOR ROOM SERVICE,

I COULDN'T FIND THE ROOM SO I WAS WANDERING AROUND...

THEN I SAW A SIDEKICK PASSING BY.
I FOLLOWED HIM TO ASK HIM ABOUT THE ROOM, BUT...

HE WAS HEADED TO THE LOWEST FLOOR BY HIMSELF.
SOMETHING FELT STRANGE.

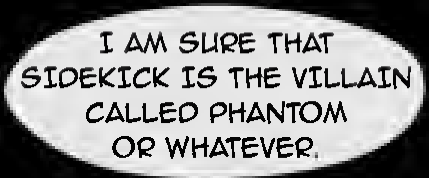

SO I SECRETLY FOLLOWED HIM.
WHAT ABOUT THE OTHER SIDEKICK?
I CAN QUICKLY CHECK BY MYSELF.

SECURITY SYSTEM DISARMED
WHAT HAVE YOU DONE?!!
I'M SURE HE DISARMED THE SECURITY DEVICE

WHOA~WHOA~
CALM DOWN, PLUTON.
IT'S ME.
GROWL

PLUTON DIDN'T SEEM TO HAVE COME COMPLETELY BACK TO NORMAL.
CRACK

THUMP
BEEP-
RIGHT THEN, I BARELY MANAGED TO CLOSE THE DOOR.


I AM SURE THAT
SIDEKICK IS THE VILLAIN
CALLED PHANTOM
OR WHATEVER.

THE NEW SIDEKICK I HIRED... WAS PHANTOM?
THAT'S NOT POSSIBLE...

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SIDEKICKS

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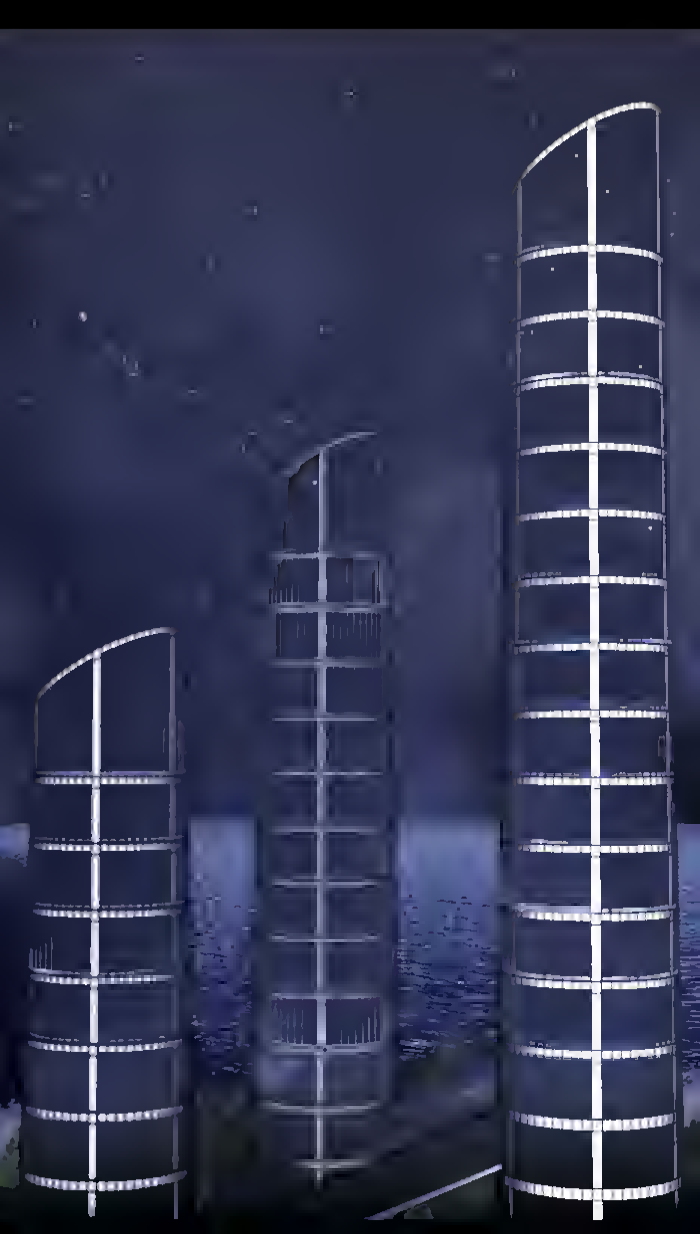
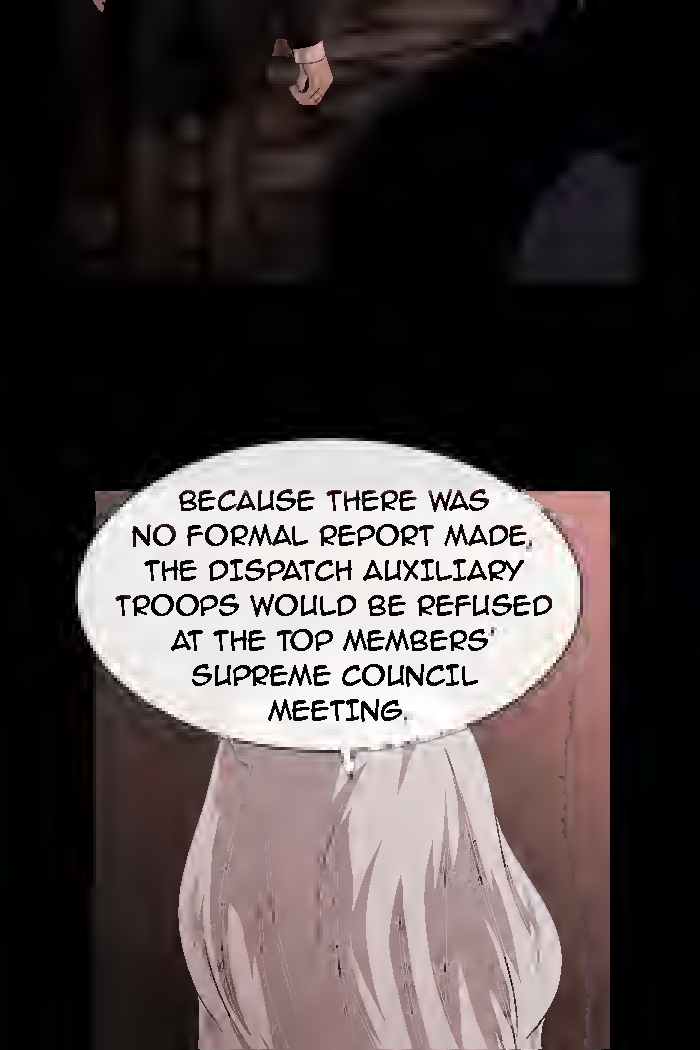


I'M SURE SOMETHING BAD HAS HAPPENED
WE SHOULD GET DARKSLUG OUT OF THERE.

BUT PIETRO THE MEMBER OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL IS...!!
THERE'S NOTHING WE CAN DO ABOUT IT!


BECAUSE THERE WAS NO FORMAL REPORT MADE, THE DISPATCH AUXILIARY TROOPS WOULD BE REFUSED AT THE TOP MEMBERS' SUPREME COUNCIL MEETING.

HE'S
THE ONLY ONE
WE CAN TRUST.

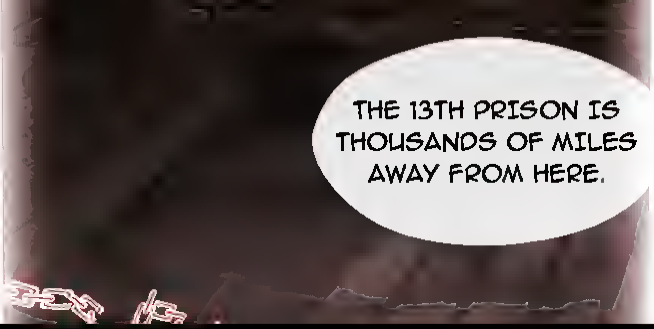
DARKSLUG!!

HUH?

SHOOOSH

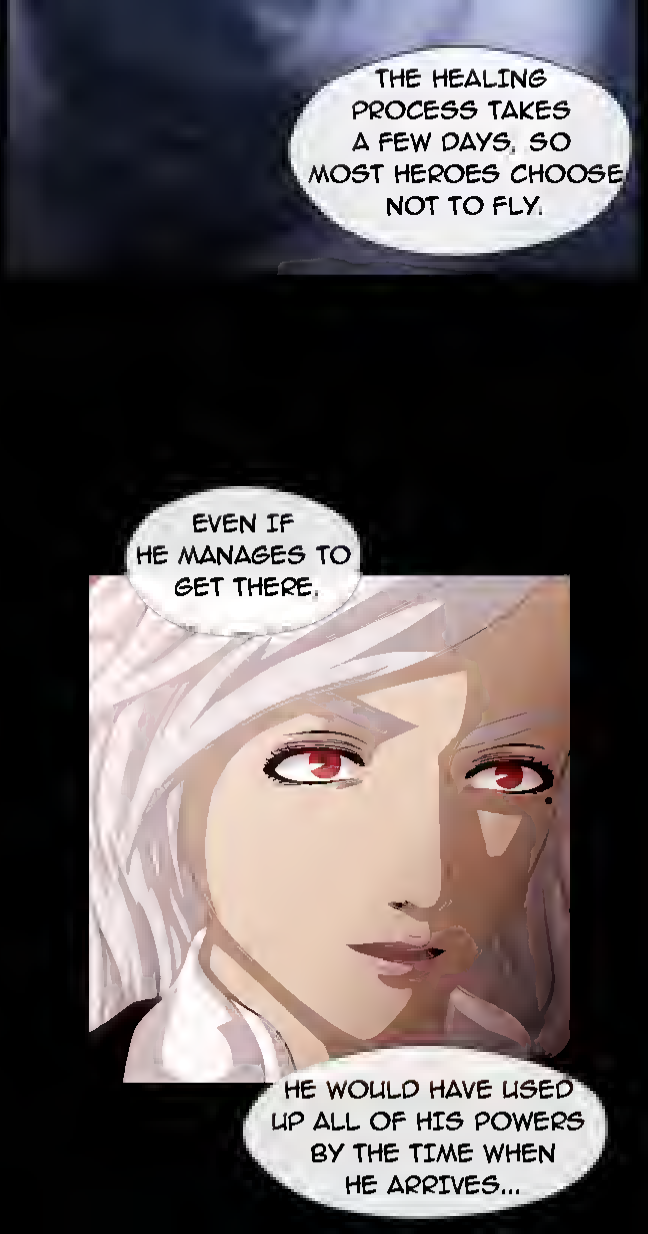
I GUESS HE HEARD WHAT WE SAID. DO YOU THINK HE WENT TO THE 13TH PRISON?
DON'T LET OTHERS FIND OUT ABOUT THIS.

BUT MASTER. EVEN IF IT'S DARKSLUG, WOULD HE BE ABLE TO LEAVE WITHOUT AN AIRPLANE OR AN AIR BIKE?


THE 13TH PRISON IS THOUSANDS OF MILES AWAY FROM HERE.

HE USUALLY WORKS REAL SLOWLY, BUT
FOR SURE, HE CAN FLY A SHORT DISTANCE BUT ONLY HE KNOWS HIS LIMITS.
ZOOM—

FROM WHAT I KNOW, FLYING CONSUMES SUPER POWERS EXTREMELY. AND

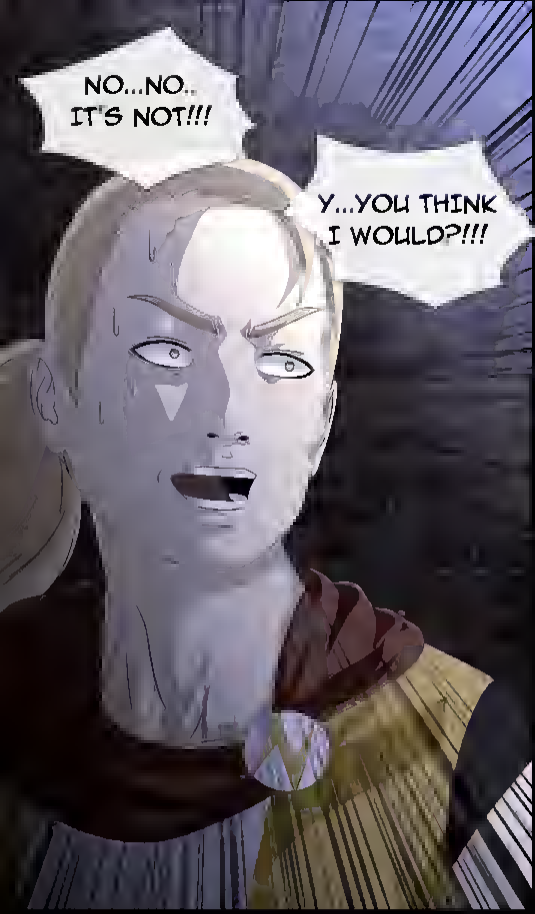

THE HEALING PROCESS TAKES A FEW DAYS, SO MOST HEROES CHOOSE NOT TO FLY.
EVEN IF HE MANAGES TO GET THERE,
HE WOULD HAVE USED UP ALL OF HIS POWERS BY THE TIME WHEN HE ARRIVES...

DARKSLUG...
WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU TRYING TO DO?

ZOOOOOOOM

DID YOU NOT CHECK WHAT YOUR SIDEKICK'S POWER WAS?
IS IT MIND CONTROL?
AH. UM... WELL...?

I HEARD THAT THERE ARE SOME HEROES WHO GETS BLACK MONEY AND HIRE A SIDEKICK...
BY ANY CHANCE... IS THAT IT?


NO...NO..
IT'S NOT!!!
Y...YOU THINK
I WOULD?!!!

HOLD ON. THEN. WHAT HAPPENED TO EVERYONE ELSE?
UM... AFTER CLOSING THE DOOR, I WENT TO REPORT TO THE CENTRAL CONTROL ROOM

BUT THE CONTROL CENTER WAS COMPLETELY EMPTY.
AT THAT TIME, I THOUGHT EVERYONE WENT TO LOOK FOR THE DESERTER

IN THERE,
I SAW A SIDEKICK AND OTHER MEMBERS GETTING TRAPPED THROUGH THE SECURITY CAMERA, AND
HEY!
DON'T OPEN IT!!
YOU SHOULDN'T!!!
WENT TO LOOK FOR THE OTHER HEROES

IF OLIVIA DIDN'T CLOSE THE DOOR, THEN PLUTON WOULD HAVE GOTTEN OUT.
IS THERE A CHANCE THAT OLIVIA IS THE REAL PHANTOM?

OLIVIA IS NOT THE ONE.
HUH? THAT GUY...? HE'S ALREADY AWAKE?

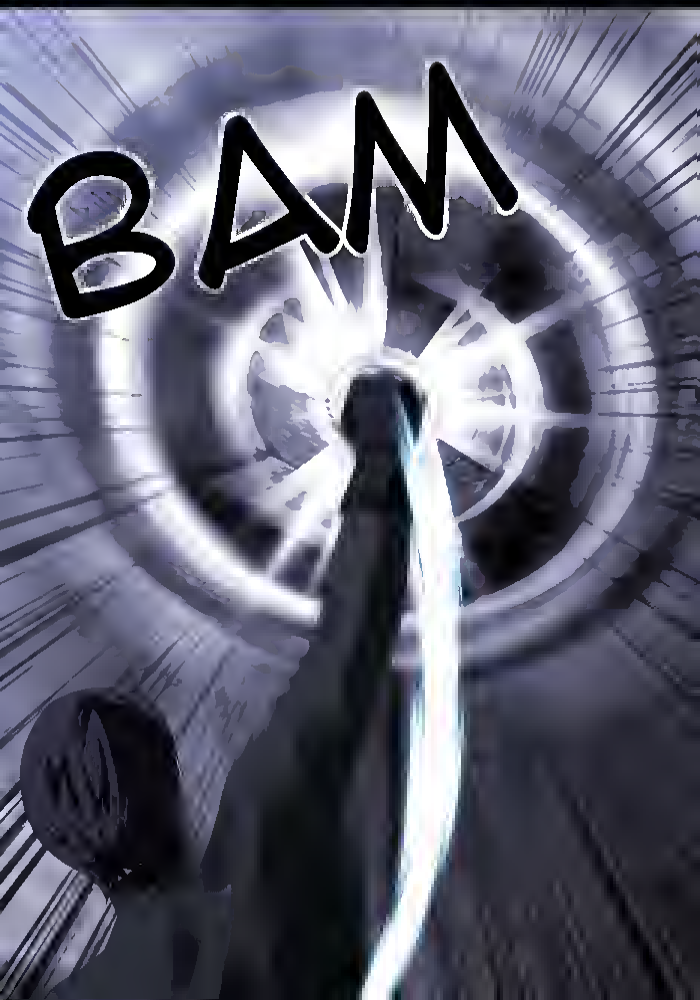
IF THAT WAS TRUE, THEN SHE WOULDN'T HAVE CLOSED THE DOOR AGAIN. SHE ALSO HAS MIND CONTROLLING ABILITIES, BUT
SHE SURELY HAD A DIFFERENT GOAL.

WHAT ABOUT THE BARRIER?
YEAH... I WAS ON MY WAY BACK FROM DISARMING IT.

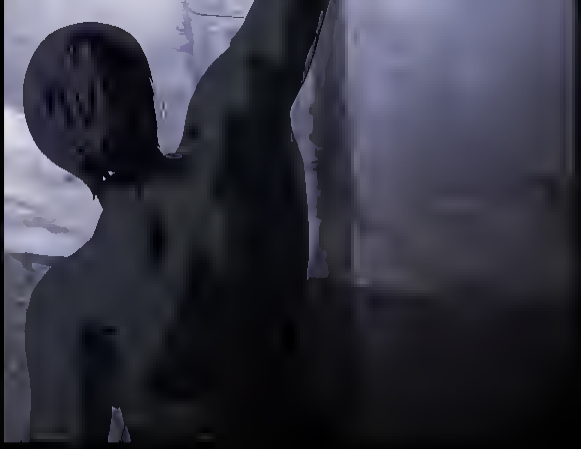
WHAT? THEN WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?!!!
SWISH

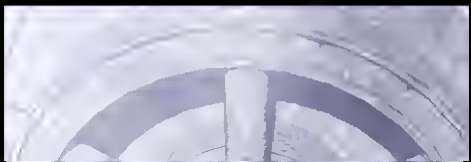
YOU LUNATIC! WE STILL HAVEN'T EVEN HAD...
THE STRATEGY MEETING, YET...!!!

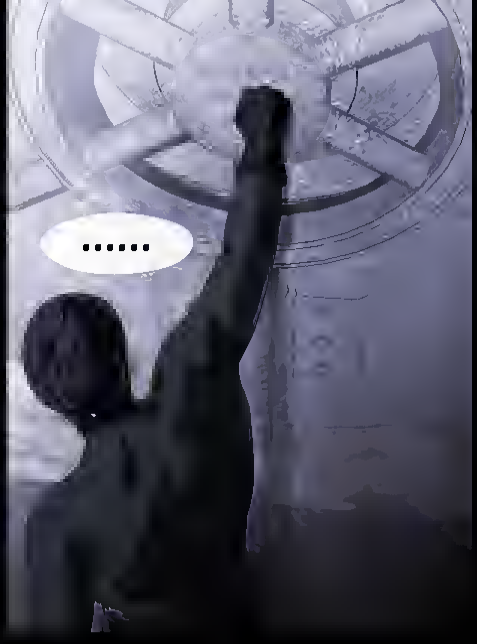
THERE ARE PEOPLE LOCKED INSIDE!
STRATEGY MY ASS!!


BAM

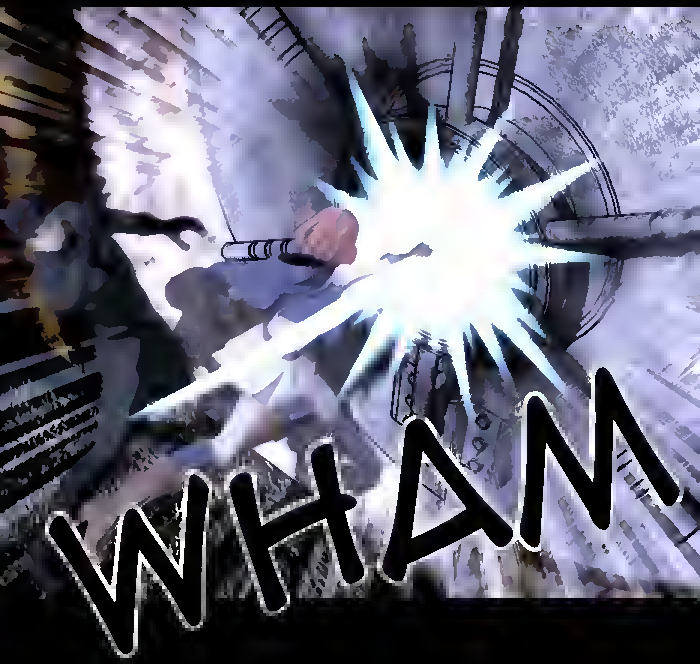
ZOOOOOOM-

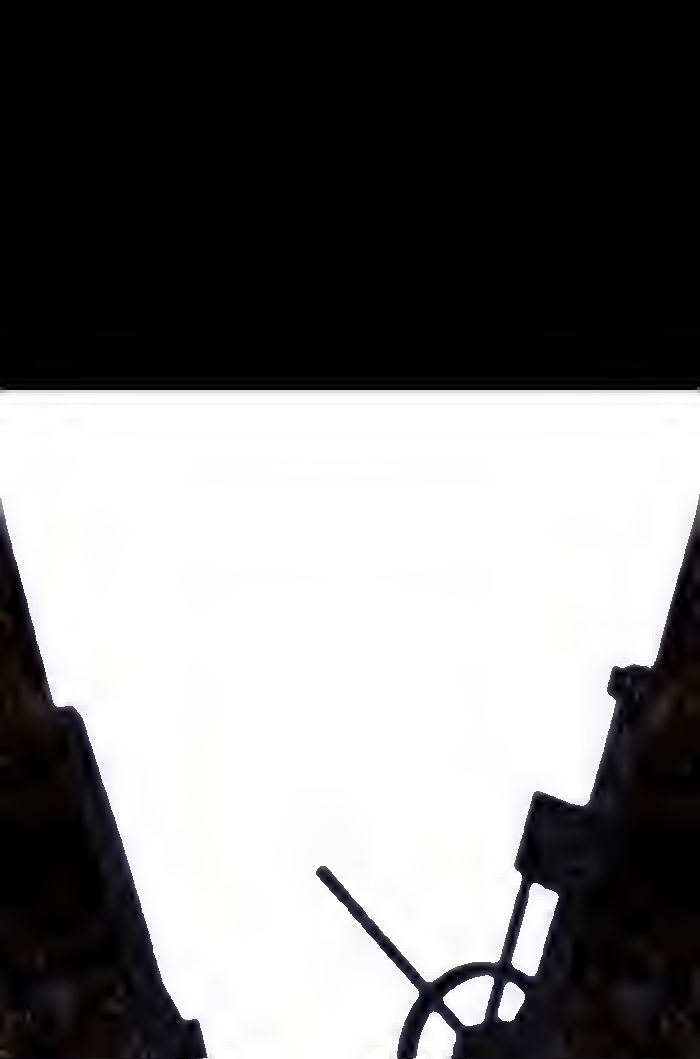






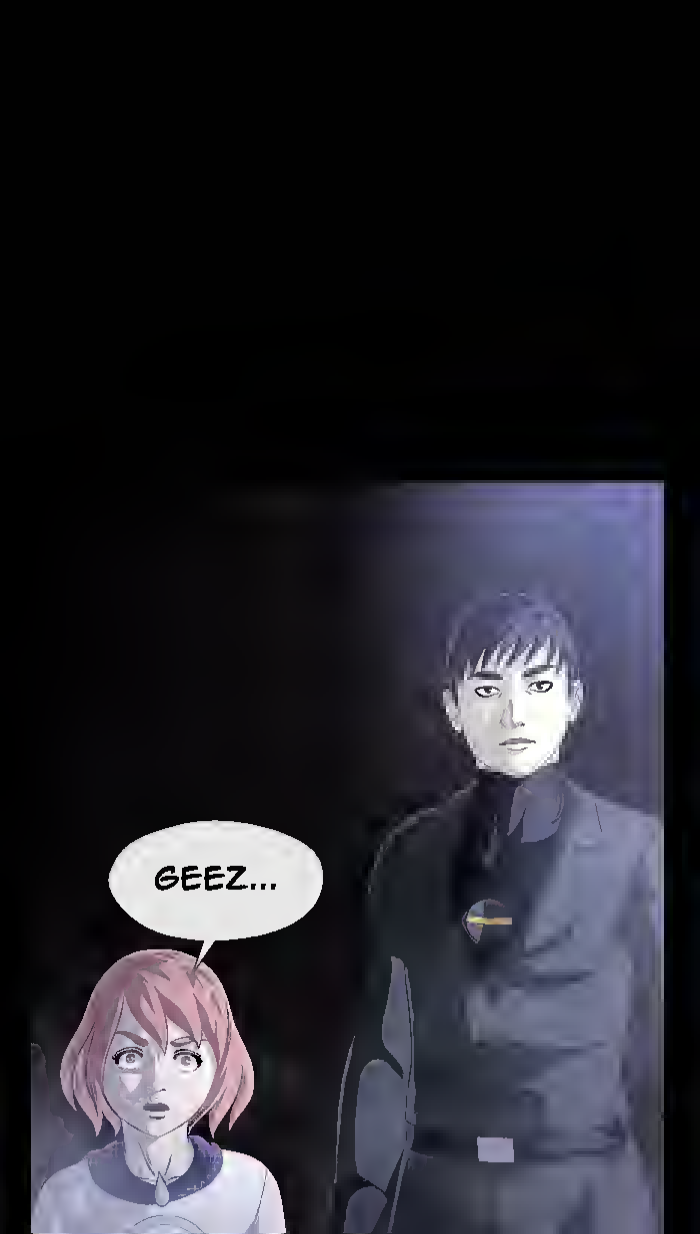
MOVE-
WEAKLING


WHAM



THUMP

SEE?! DIDN'T I TELL YOU?!!
J...JUDY...
I TOLD YOU THAT EVERYONE WOULD BE DEAD BY NOW!!


GEEZ...

LAMIA...

-TO BE CONTINUED-

BOOM

DAMN IT...

WHEENG

PLUTON
IS ALREADY ON THE LOOSE.

THE BARRIER WAS PENETRATED THROUGH THE CONTROL ROOM. I KNEW THIS WOULD HAPPEN.
JU... JUDY IS...

PINK SPANDEX...
ARE YOU... STILL ALIVE?

PHANTOM WENT TOO.
I'M SURE THEY HAVEN'T GONE FAR.
I'M FOLLOWING THEM.

LOOK HERE! WE NEED TO FIX THE HOLE AND REPORT BACK TO THE COMMITTEE!!
DO YOU THINK THERE'S TIME TO WAIT FOR BACKUP?
TAP

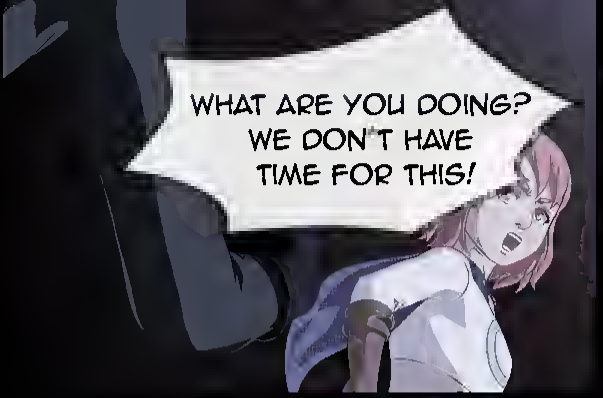
EVERYONE
FOLLOW ME!!

YES.
COMING!!

SSH

GRAB

OLIVIA?!!
!


WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
WE DON'T HAVE
TIME FOR THIS!

UGH...

LET ME GO!
OR ELSE I'LL KILL
YOU

CRUNCH

...PHANTOM
THAT BASTARD
IS PHANTOM...

SIDEKICKS

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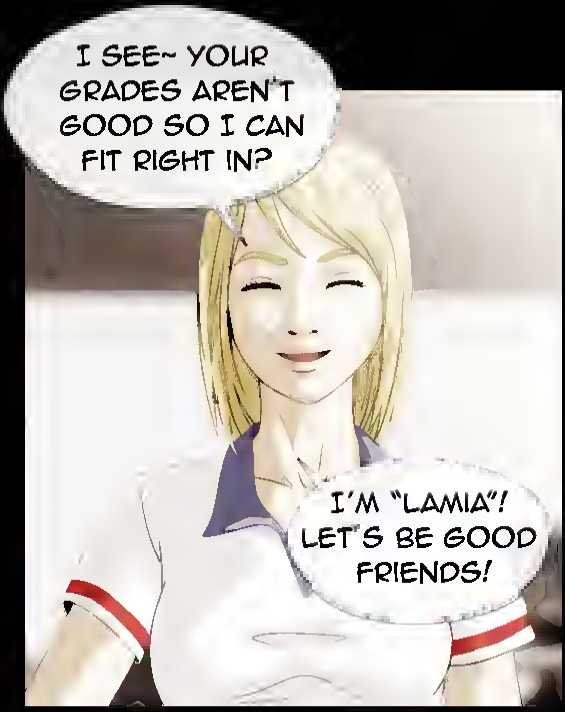
ARE YOU THE TRANSFER STUDENT?
YOU'RE PRETTY LATE.
CHITTER CHATTER

WHAT'S YOUR NAME?
ANY SKILLS?

THEY SAY THAT THE LATER A PERSON'S SUPER POWERS AWAKEN, THE MORE THEIR POTENTIAL DECREASES.
!!
THUD

LOOKS LIKE THERE WON'T BE A PROBLEM IF YOU HANG OUT WITH US.
I'M 'JUDY' AND..

THEY CALL ME
'OLIVIA'.


I SEE~ YOUR GRADES AREN'T GOOD SO I CAN FIT RIGHT IN?
I'M "LAMIA"! LET'S BE GOOD FRIENDS!

LIKE WHAT JUDY SAID,

THE REASON WE
WERE ABLE TO GET ALONG WELL
WITH LAMIA WAS

BECAUSE WE DIDN'T
NEED TO FEEL
THREATENED BY HER.

MY ABILITIES MAY BE LACKING NOW.
BUT MY GOAL IS BECOMING DARKSLUG'S SIDEKICK!

PAHAHAHA!
AH~ THAT'S HILARIOUS HAHAHA
DID YOU HEAR? OLIVIA!

SNICKER

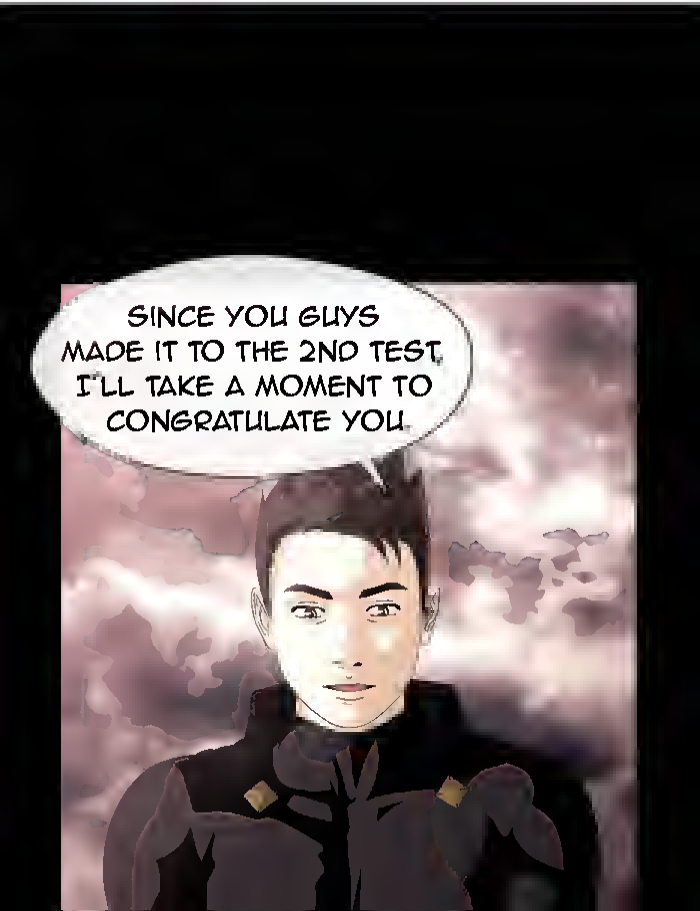
OUR GOALS MIGHT
HAVE BEEN THE SAME,

BUT SHE WASN'T
ANY COMPETITION.

UNDER THE GUISE
THAT WE WERE FRIENDS...
5 YEARS WENT BY.

SUPERHERO DARKSLUG

I WANT YOU FOR MY SIDEKICK



NOW, THERE HAVE BEEN PEOPLE WHO DIED DURING THE FINAL TEST SO BE CAREFUL
THE ONE WHO OVERCOMES THE VIRTUAL VILLAINS AND TRAPS AND FINALLY CAPTURE THE FLAG AT THE END WILL RECEIVE THE BEST SCORE.
AFTER WE ADD UP ALL 3 SCORES, I WILL ANNOUNCE A NEW SIDEKICK.

GOOD LUCK, EVERYBODY.

DASH

I WILL CAPTURE THE FLAG NO MATTER WHAT.
I'M GOING TO GET THE BEST SCORE AND FINISH IT THE FASTEST!!

BUT...

I OVERPACED MYSELF
FROM THE VERY START,

SO, THE FATIGUE
CAUGHT UP TO ME
ALL AT ONCE.

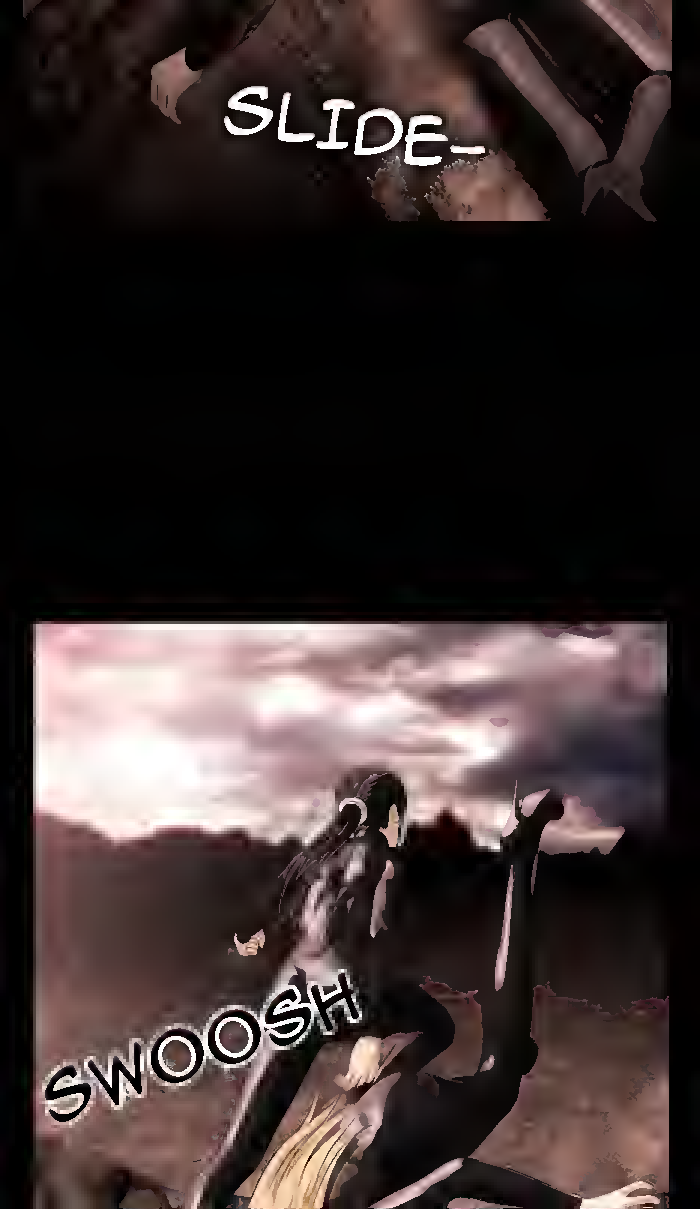
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF

OLIVIA!!
POP
GRAB MY HAND!!

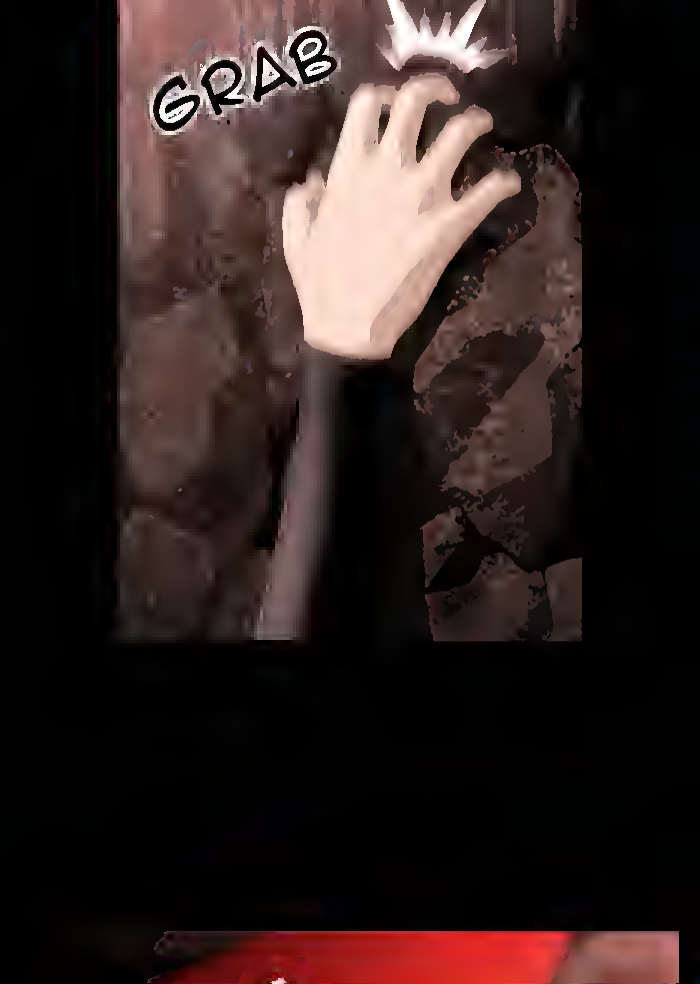
CLENCH

HUH? WAIT!!
DON'T PULL DOWN!!
I HAVE TO PULL YOU UP TO...
WOBBLE

CLENCH
OLIVIA!!
WAI..WAIT!!!!!

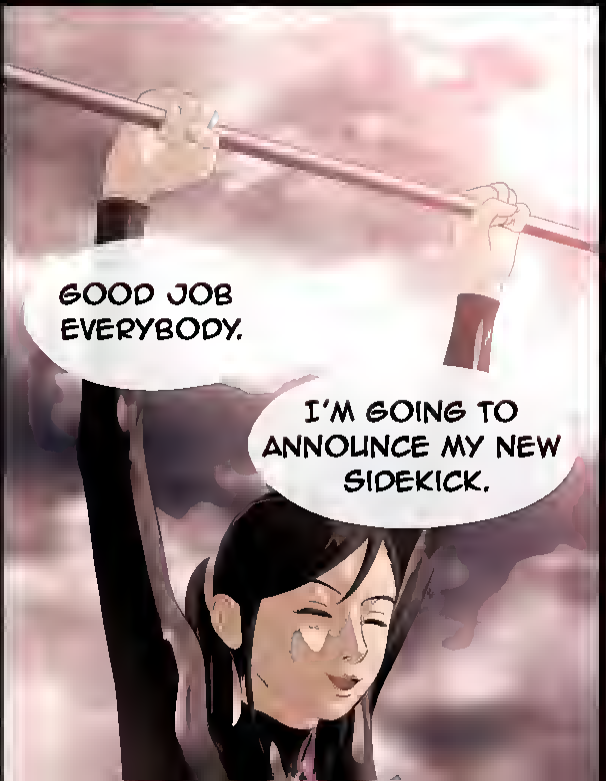

SLIDE-
SWOOSH

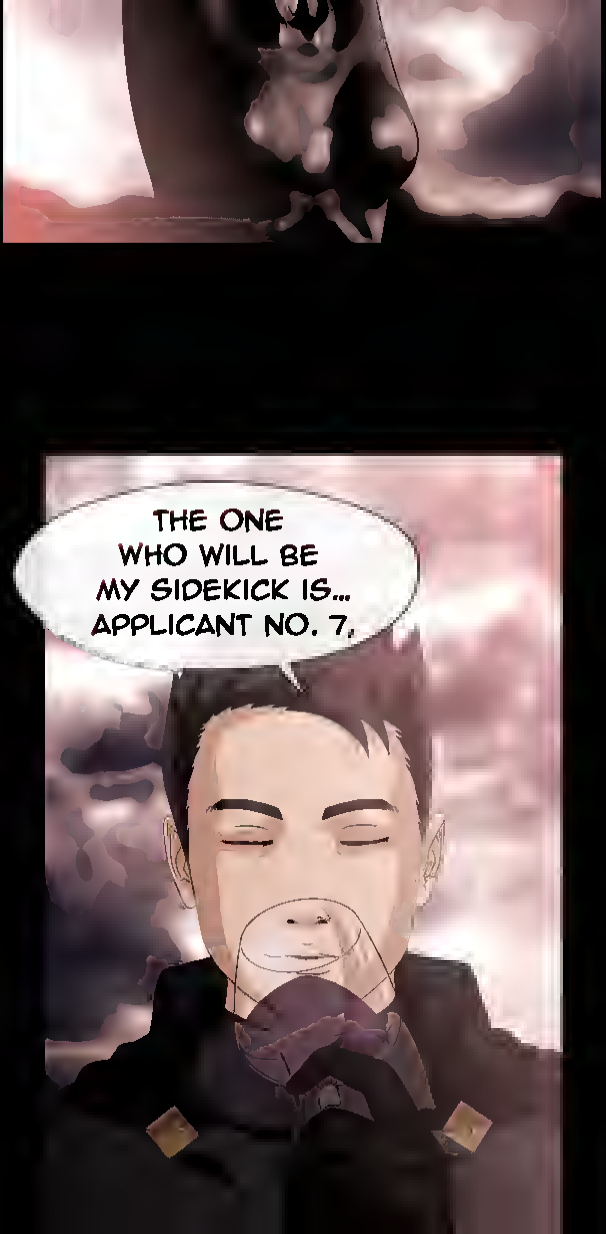
AHHHHHHH!!


GRAB

OLIVIA!
OLIVIA!!
HELP!!

IT'S STILL NOT TOO LATE!!
I...I CAN... I'M THE ONE WHO ALWAYS GETS FIRST PLACE!!

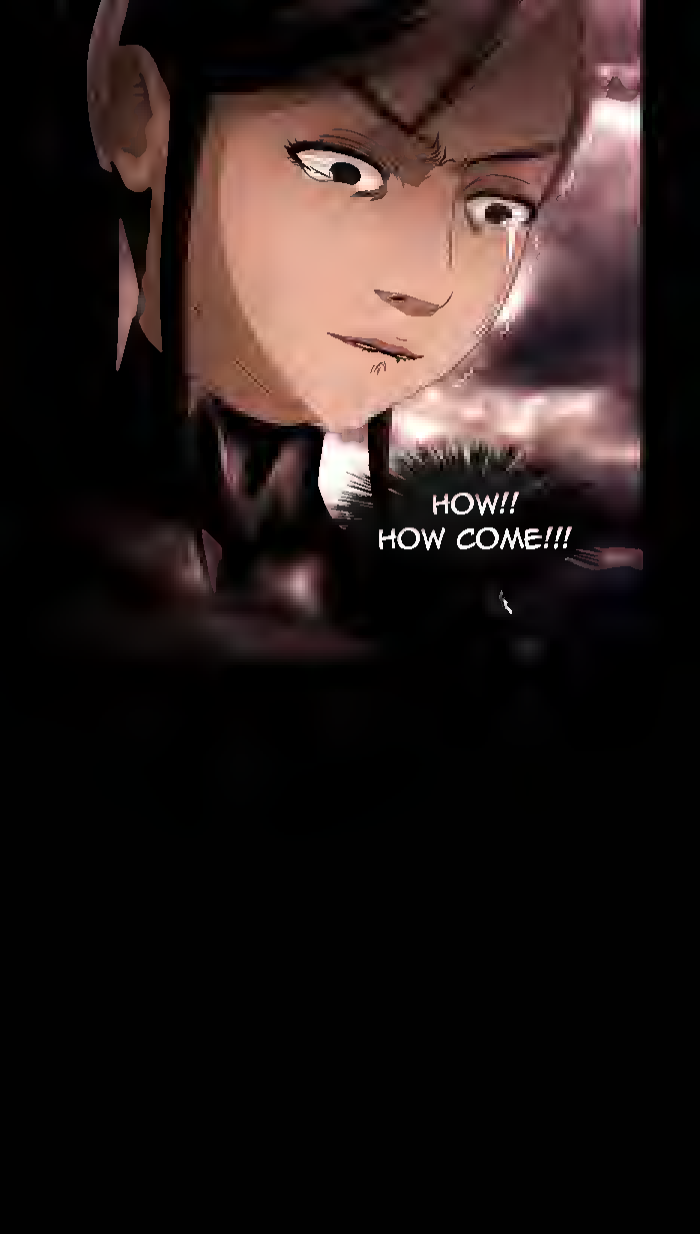

GOOD JOB EVERYBODY.
I'M GOING TO ANNOUNCE MY NEW SIDEKICK.


THE ONE
WHO WILL BE
MY SIDEKICK IS...
APPLICANT NO. 7,

LAMIA LILITH

THIS...
THIS DOESN'T
MAKE SENSE.

GNASH
I WAS 1ST PLACE...
WHY DID LAMIA... WHY!! WHY!!


HOW!!
HOW COME!!!

CLENCH

I NEED TO STAY FOCUSED.

I STILL NEED TO...

PAY BACK LAMIA.

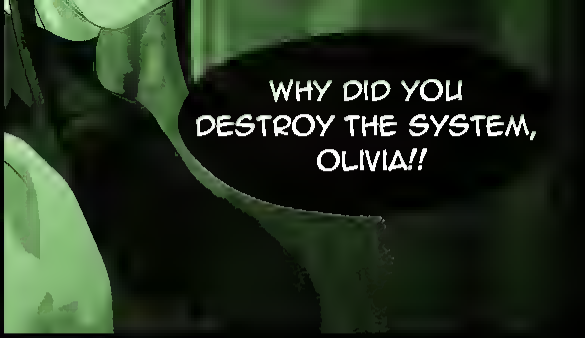
THEO!! IT'S DANGEROUS!!

PHANTOM
IS THERE TOO!

I SAW HIS FACE
WHEN I WAS
BEING MIND
CONTROLLED!!

CRACK
DAMN IT!!
STEP

WHAT ARE YOU DOING!!!
PLUTON THAT BASTARD, I WAS GOING TO OPEN THE DOOR WHEN HE COMES BACK TO SENSES.


WHY DID YOU DESTROY THE SYSTEM, OLIVIA!!

AH~ YOU'RE DRIVING ME CRAZY.

NOW I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO BRING EVERYONE ELSE HERE.
THAT GUY IS PHANTOM.

WHAT ARE YOU GUYS DOING? HURRY UP...
SWOOSH

THE ONE WHO
WAS PLACED ALONG
WITH US...
BOOM

RYAN!!

RYAN...
YOU...
THAT'S THE BASTARD. HE'S PHANTOM.

FLOP

I WAS GOING TO LEAVE WITH PLUTON QUIETLY, BUT

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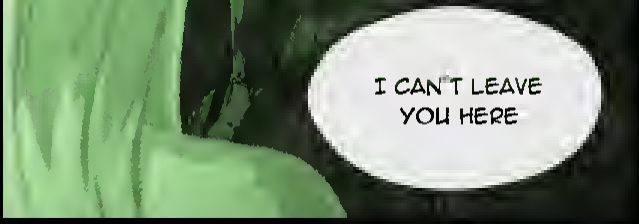
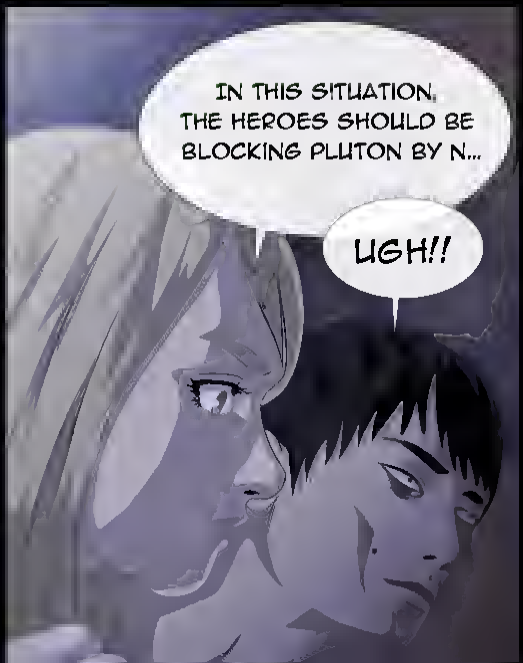
SWOOOOOSH-

THERE WAS A TRAITOR WHO COULD USE MIND CONTROL.
WIGGLE
WIGGLE
ONCE THE BARRIER WAS BROKEN, HE ESCAPED. BUT I'M SURE PLUTON FOLLOWED THEM OUT.

LEAVE ME HERE AND REPORT BACK TO THE TEAM. HURRY!!
I CAN'T DO THAT. YOU'RE TOO BADLY INJURED
WIGGLE
WIGGLE

I'M ALIVE
THANKS TO YOU.


I CAN'T LEAVE YOU HERE

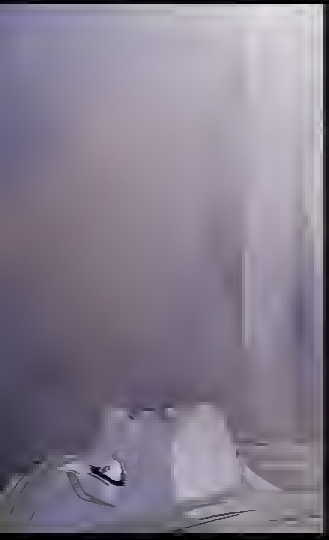

IN THIS SITUATION, THE HEROES SHOULD BE BLOCKING PLUTON BY N...
UGH!!

SWOOOOSH

PH

AT

GROWL



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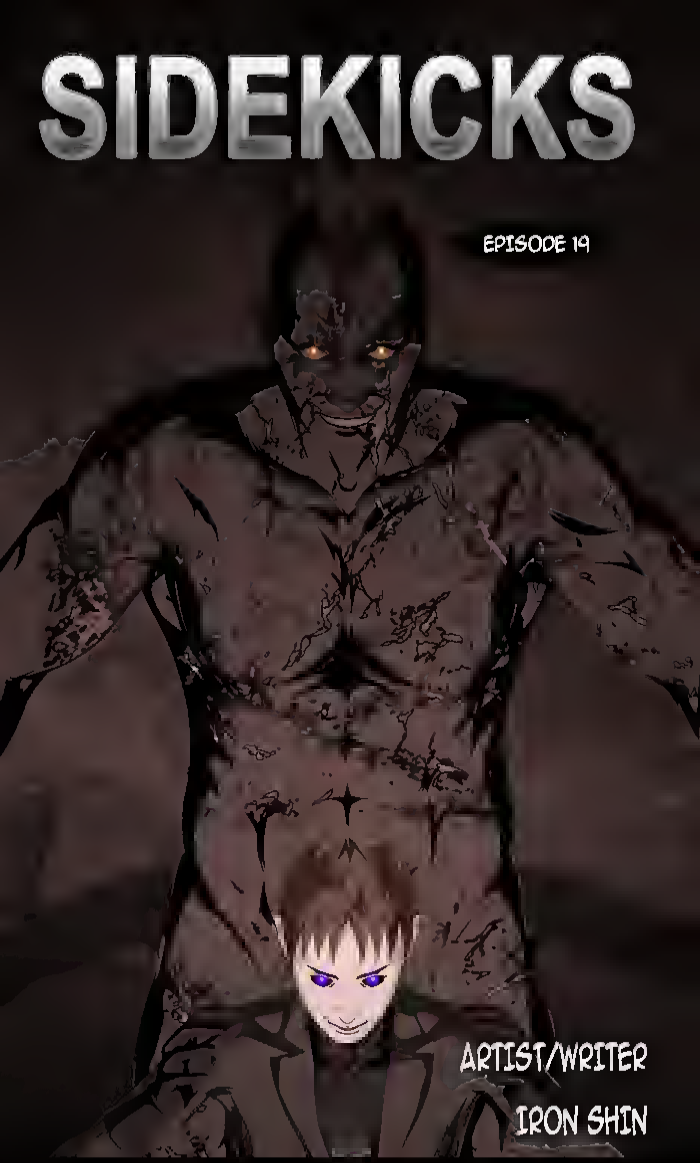

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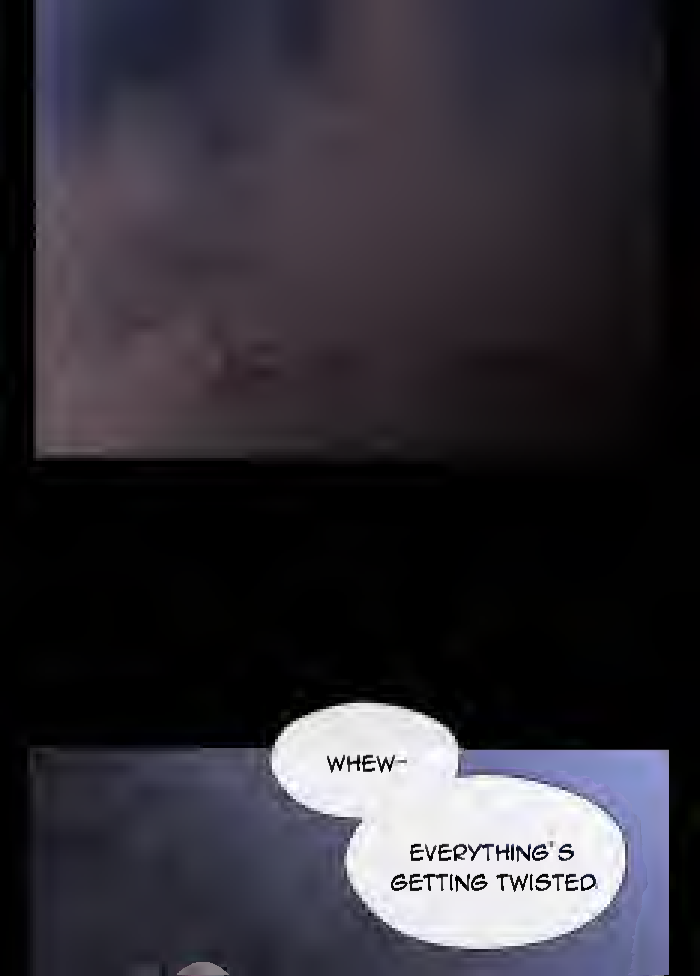
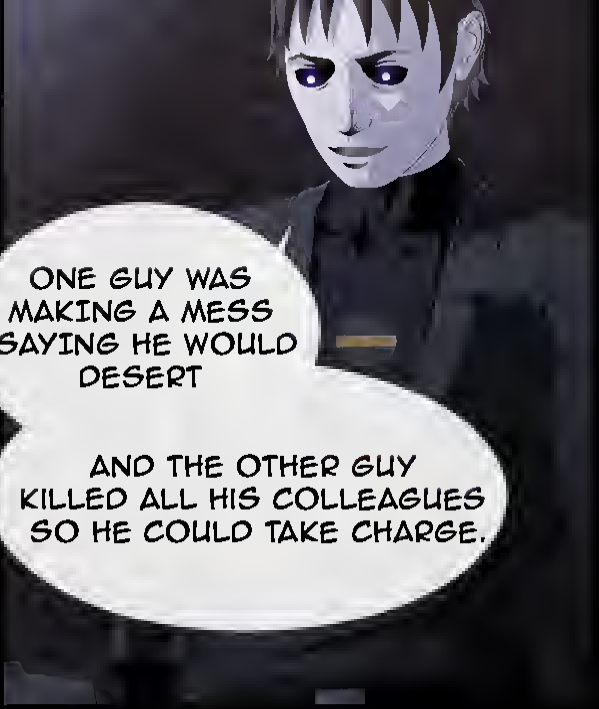

WHEW-
EVERYTHING'S GETTING TWISTED

I WANTED TO TAKE PLUTON OUT QUIETLY, BUT


ONE GUY WAS MAKING A MESS SAYING HE WOULD DESERT
AND THE OTHER GUY KILLED ALL HIS COLLEAGUES SO HE COULD TAKE CHARGE.

I CAN'T REALLY TELL WHO'S THE HERO AND WHO'S THE VILLAIN.

OH, RIGHT!
AND THERE WAS ALSO A HERO WHO'S ALWAYS IN THE BACK BECAUSE HE'S AFRAID OF PLUTON.
TWITCH
KEH KEH KEH-

HOW DARE YOU, VILLAIN!!
PZZZZZZT-

ZOOM-

THUD

IT'S SO EASY TO MIND CONTROL HERE BECAUSE SO MANY OF YOU ARE TWISTED.
EXCEPT THAT GUY, THEO

AND THE LITTLE HERO BRAT BEFORE...
HUH?

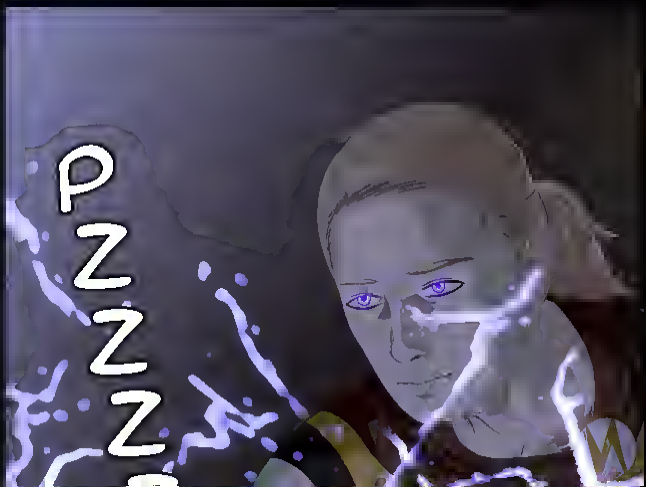
OOF!
POW

BAM

DAMN!
LIGHTNING!!
KILL EVERYONE!!

I'LL TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING HERE.
FLAP
SHOOOH-

YOU GO OUTSIDE AND TRY TO LOCATE PLUTON



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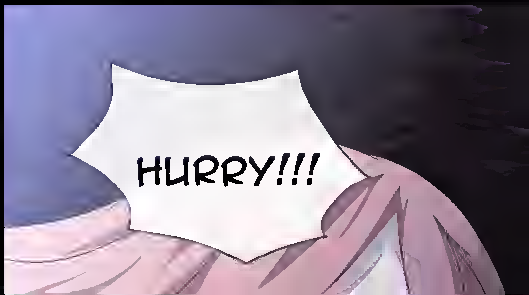

HURRY!!!

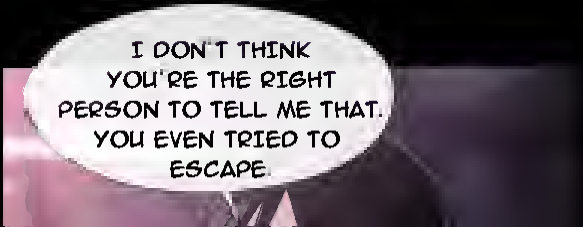
YOU DON'T HAVE TO RUSH ME! YOU LITTLE BRAT!!

TAP

VROOM

WHAT ARE YOU DOING? GET OUT!!
LET'S GO TOGETHER.
SLAM
MY SKILL WILL BE USEFUL IF NOBODY'S GOING TO BE ABLE TO COMMUNICATE.

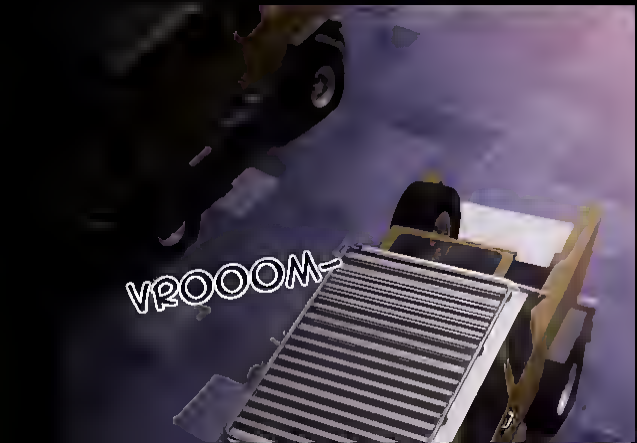
YOU... WANT TO BECOME A SIDEKICK THAT BADLY?
CLENCH
EVEN WHILE BEING A NUISANCE TO EVERYBODY AND GETTING THEM KILLED?


I DON'T THINK YOU'RE THE RIGHT PERSON TO TELL ME THAT. YOU EVEN TRIED TO ESCAPE.

JUST
START THE CAR
FOR NOW I...

HAVE A DEBT
TO LAMIA THAT
I MUST PAY.

ALRIGHT.
I GET IT.
CREAK-


VROOOM-

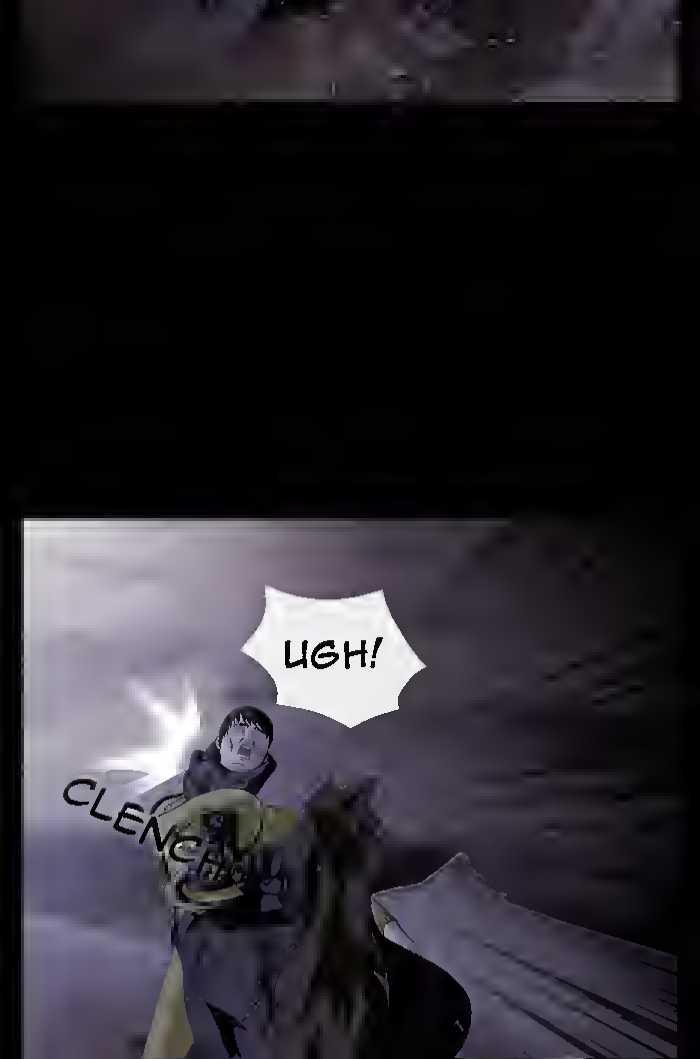
LET'S TALK ABOUT THIS AGAIN WHEN THIS IS ALL OVER.

VROOOOOM-

HELP!!
STRETCH-

SWIRL

GRAB


UGH!
CLENCH

CRACKLE~
BAM

IT'S NO USE...
MY ATTACKS WON'T HURT HIM.

ARRRGH-
URGH!

SPOOOSH-

FLOP

GROWL
PLUTON...
IS SMILING.

HE'S HUNTING.
HE'LL PLAY AROUND
BEFORE HE
KILLS THEM.

LAMIA!
POW
?!!

LAMIA, CAN YOU HEAR ME?!
O...OLIVIA?

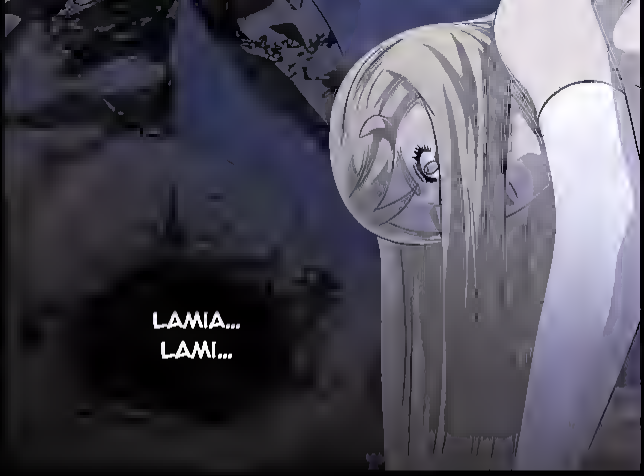
GRAB

WHAM

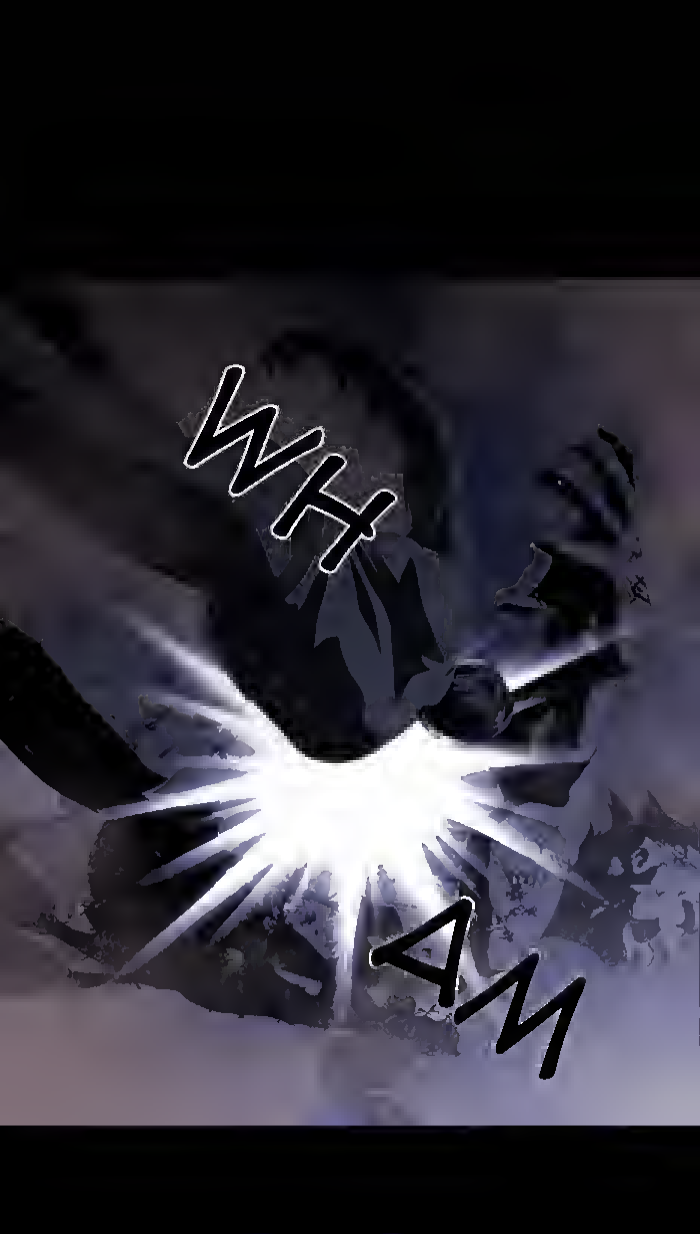
SNICKER
SNICKER

LAMIA!! SAY SOMETHING AGAIN!
UGH!

OLIVIA!
I'M HERE
YES, IT'S ME.
LAMIA.

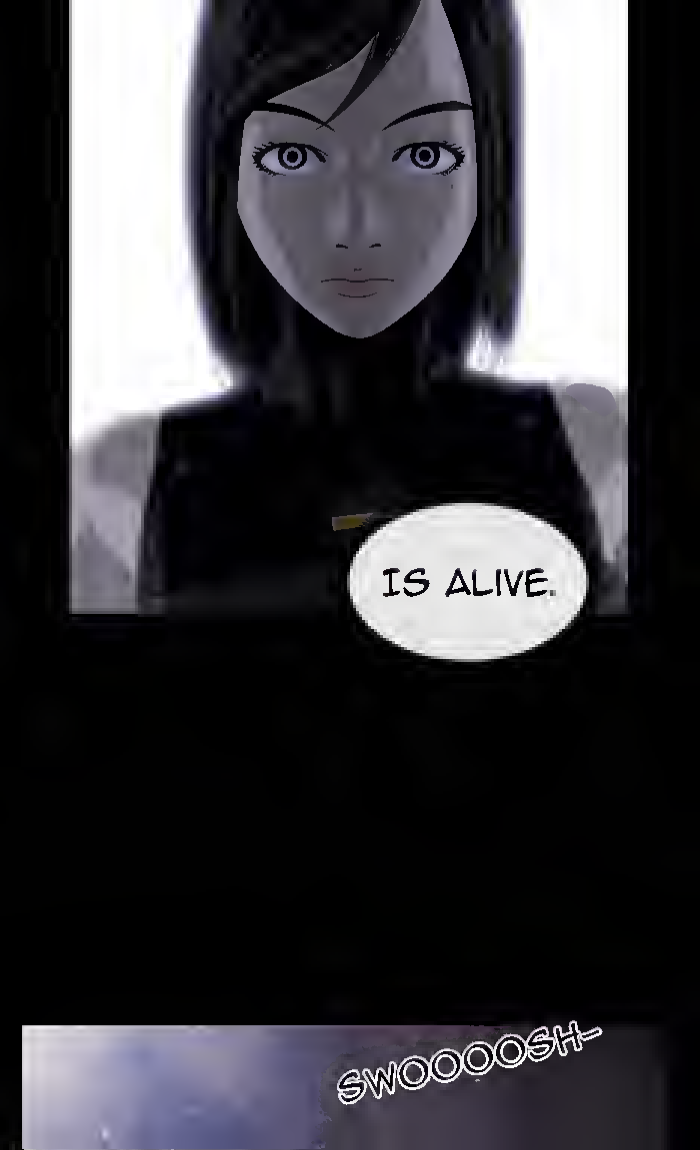

LAMIA...
LAMI...

FOUND YOU.


WHAM

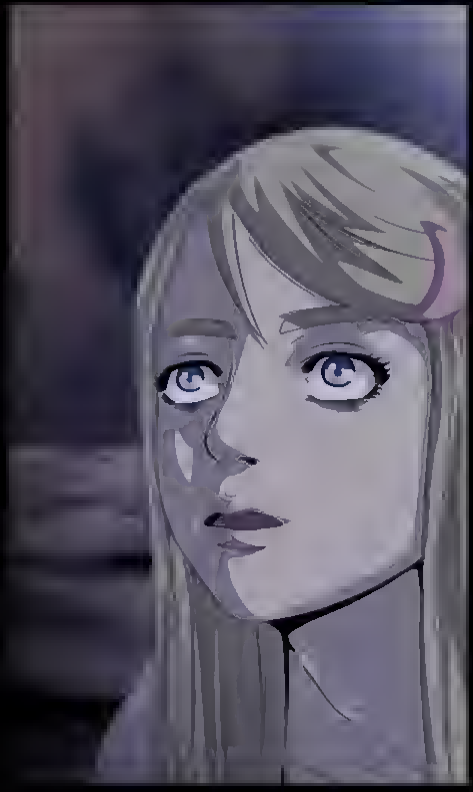
CRAAAAAAAA-

LAMIA...


IS ALIVE.
SWOOOOSH-

WHEW~

I THINK I'VE SAVED YOU MORE TIMES THAN YOU'VE SAVED ME NOW, RIGHT?
PINK SPANDEX.



GROWL

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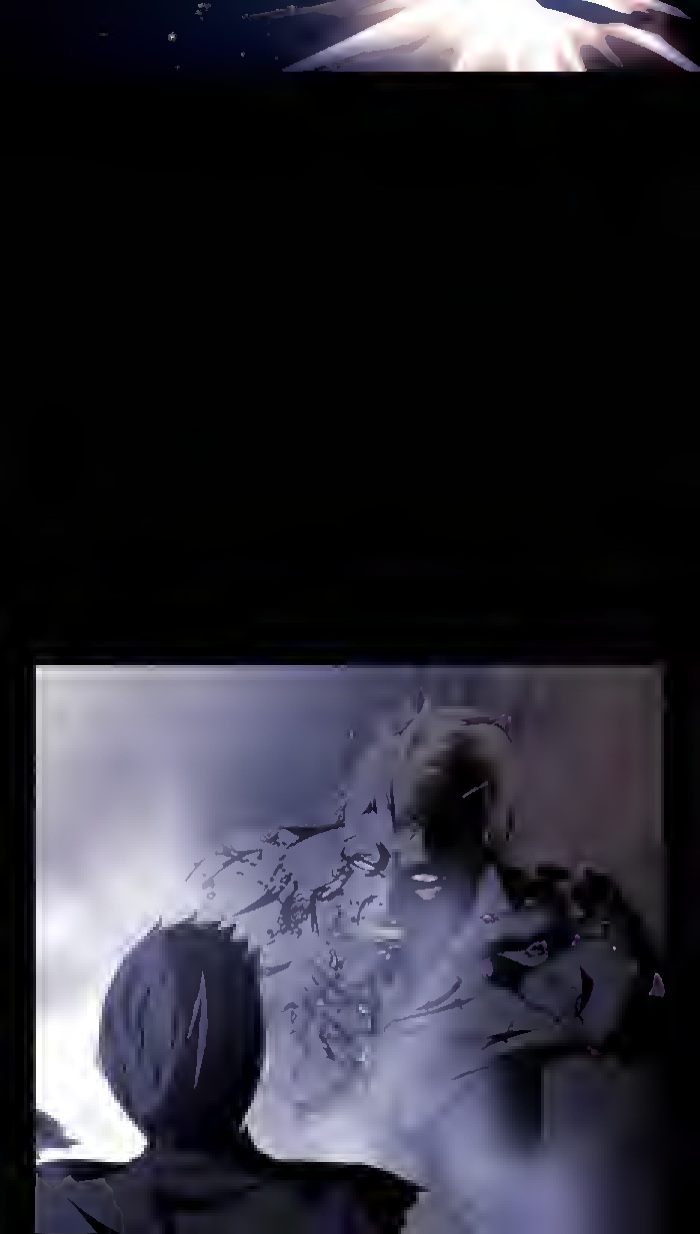
SWIIIIISH~
WHEW~

I THINK I'VE SAVED YOU MORE TIMES THAN YOU'VE SAVED ME NOW, RIGHT?
PINK SPANDEX.

GROWL

IDIOT!!
FOCUS!!

FAZOOM
BA BAM

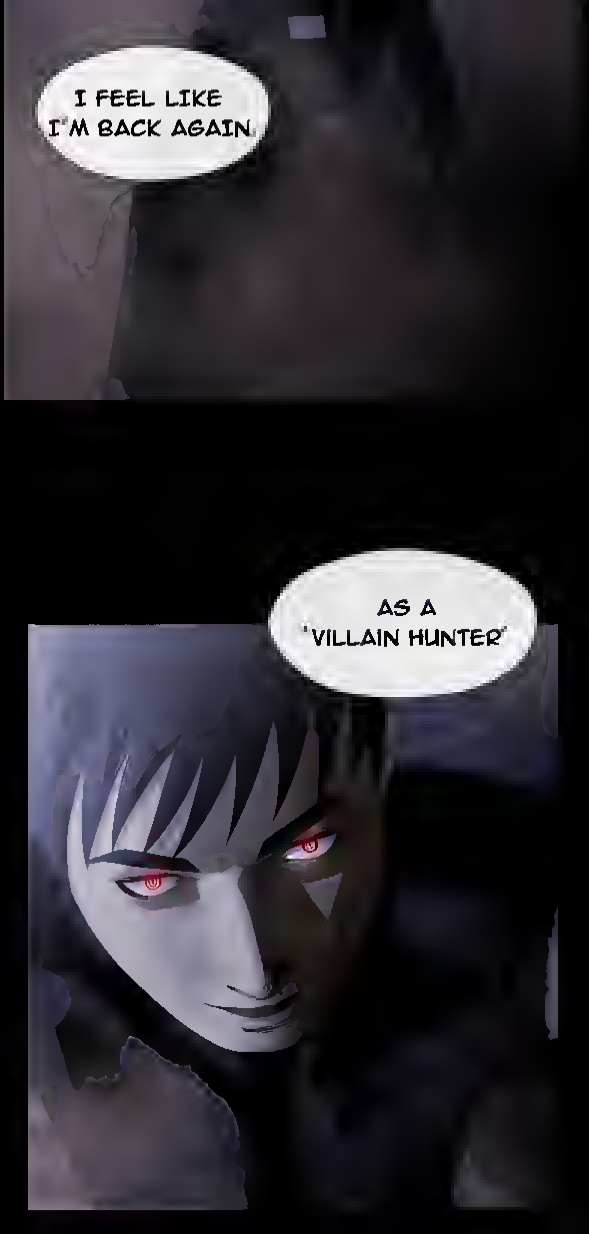


DON'T GET CAUGHT!!

THUD

KA BOOM

IT'S BEEN A WHILE.
FIGHTING WITH
A VILLAIN.


I FEEL LIKE
I'M BACK AGAIN.
AS A
'VILLAIN HUNTER'

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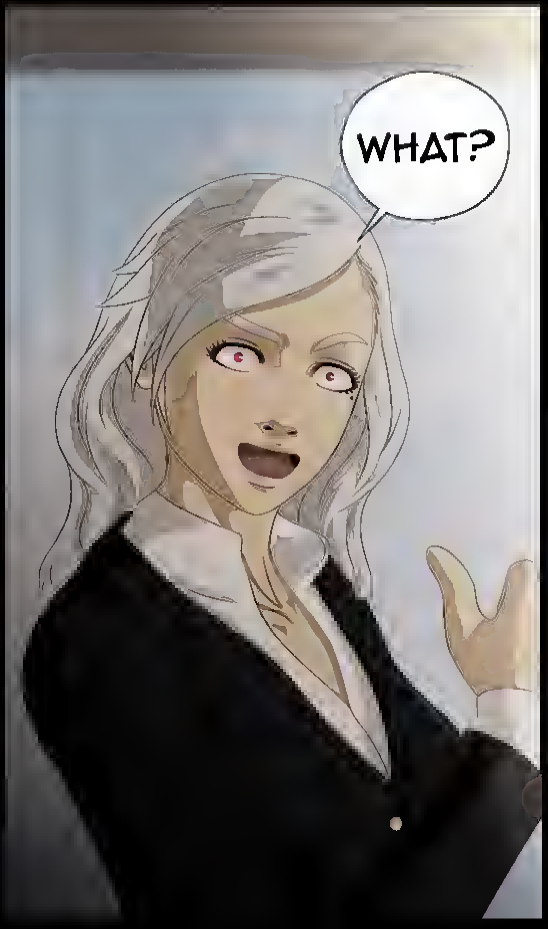
SECRETARY GENERAL'S OFFICE
JUSTICE

AS SOON AS THERE'S A CONNECTION TO PRISON 13, LET ME KNOW.
I'VE ALREADY GAVE THE ORDER TO DO SO, MASTER.

NOTHING'S GOING TO HAPPEN RIGHT? NOTHING'S GOING TO HAPPEN.
BITE
LET'S THINK ABOUT SOMETHING ELSE. THINK ABOUT SOMETHING ELSE...

AH, SHOULDN'T THEO HAVE GOTTEN INTO THE UNDERCORE BY NOW?
HE SHOULD'VE BEEN DESIGNATED TO A BASE CAMP BY NOW, RIGHT?
OH... YOU... DON'T KNOW YET?
WHAT?

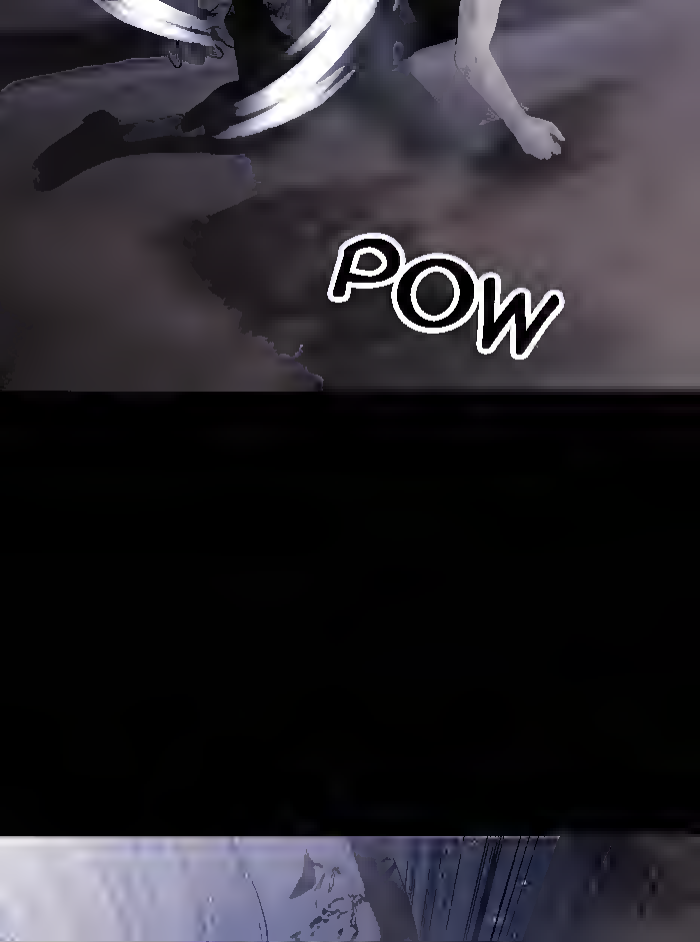
PRIVATE THEO, HE'S BEEN DESIGNATED TO PRISON 13 AT THE MOMENT.


WHAT?

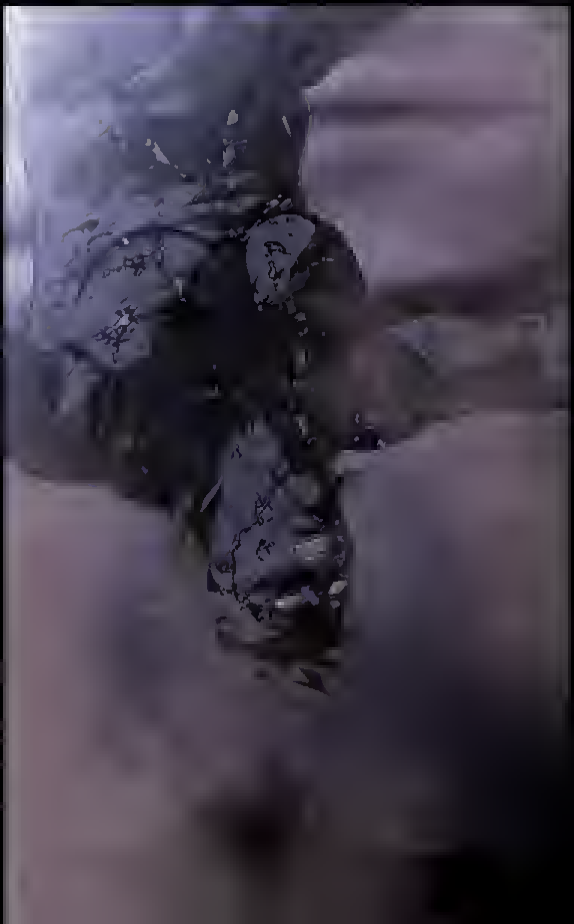
CLENCH

TAP

CLENCH

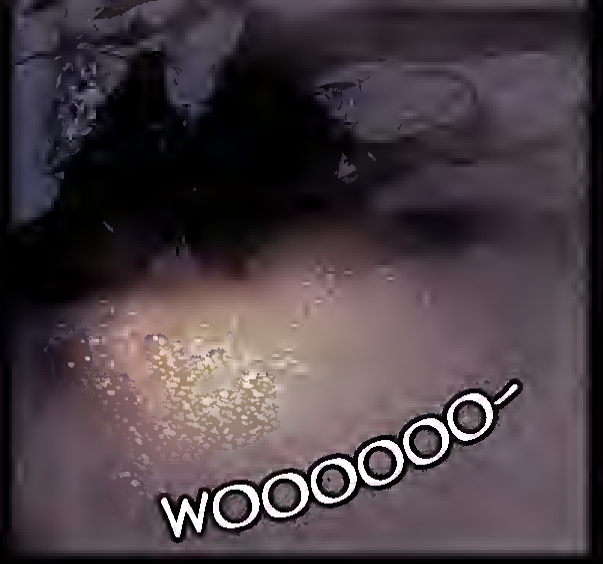

POW

BAM



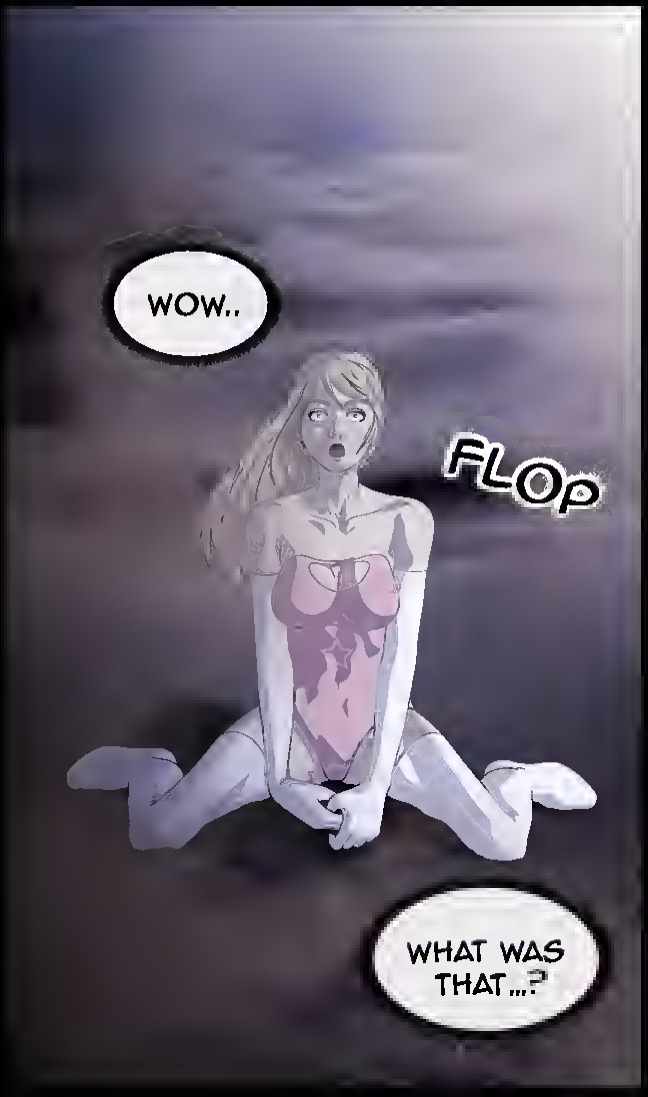
SCREEK
CLENCH

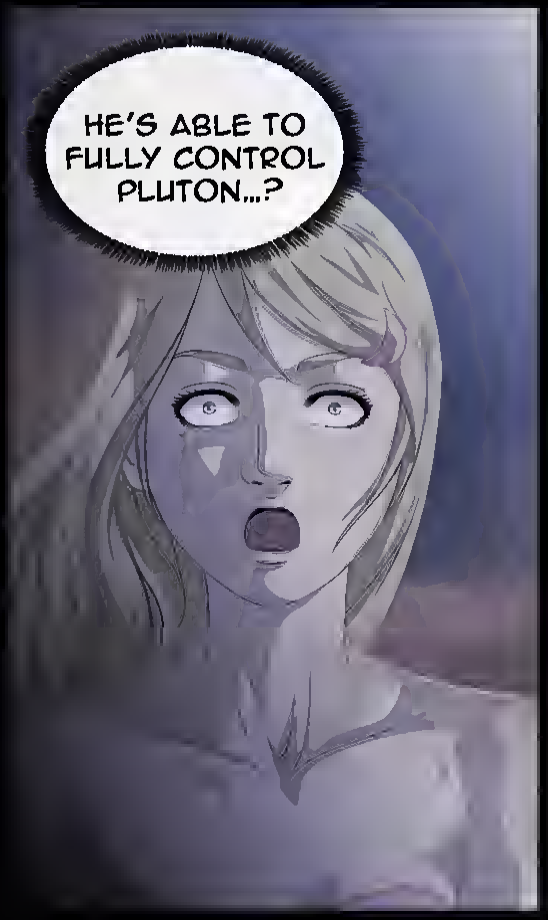
KABOOOOOM


WOOOOOO-

BLAST

I WON'T FALL FOR THE SAME TRICK TWICE.


WOW..
FLOP
WHAT WAS THAT...?


HE'S ABLE TO FULLY CONTROL PLUTON...?

THAT BASTARD... WHAT THE HELL IS HE?
O...OLIVIA?!

THIS BRAT USED TO GET BLOWN AWAY BY ONE BLOW FROM ME...

I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS...

AFTER ALL THIS FIGHTING WITH VILLAINS, ALONG WITH COUNTLESS NEAR-DEATH EXPERIENCES,
I ALWAYS... MANAGED TO OVERCOME.

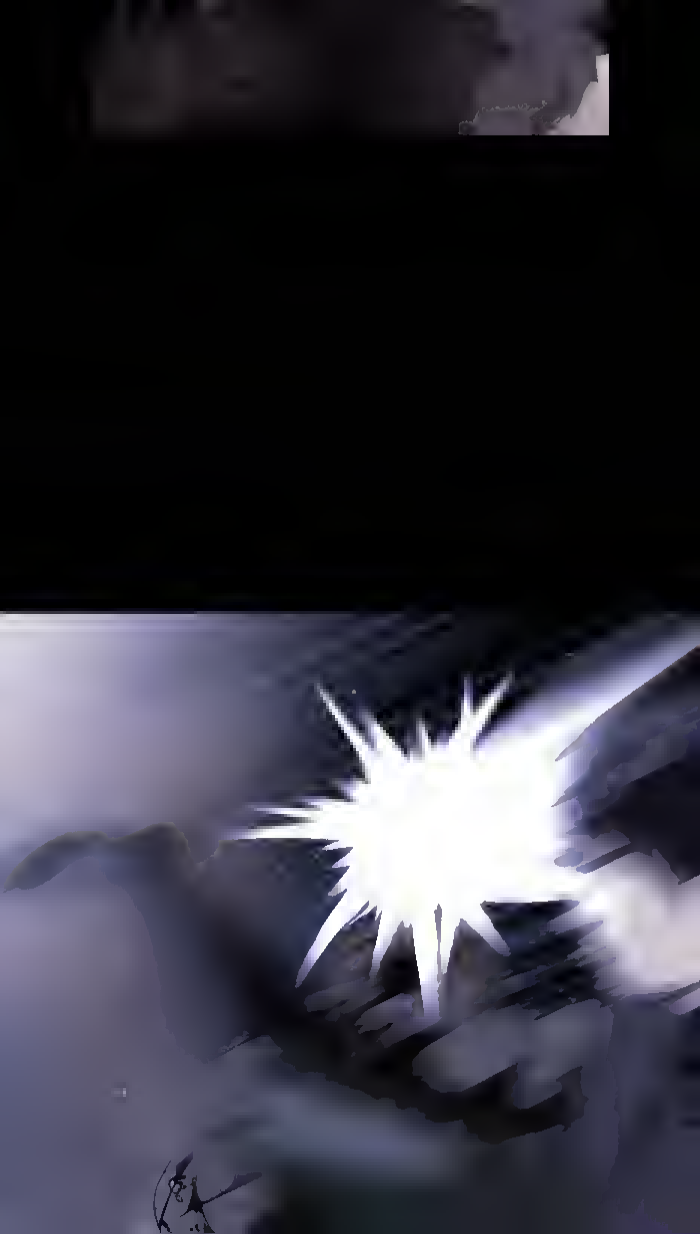
BUT ALL THIS TIME, I'VE NEVER FELT SO POWERFUL IN MY LIFE...
WHAT IS THIS STRENGTH...?

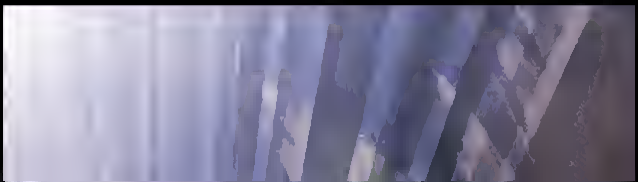
YEAH, WOULDN'T IT BE A WASTE TO END SO EARLY?
ALL RIGHT, BRING IT, MONSTER.
CRAAACK
WADDLE
WADDLE

AHHHHH

POW

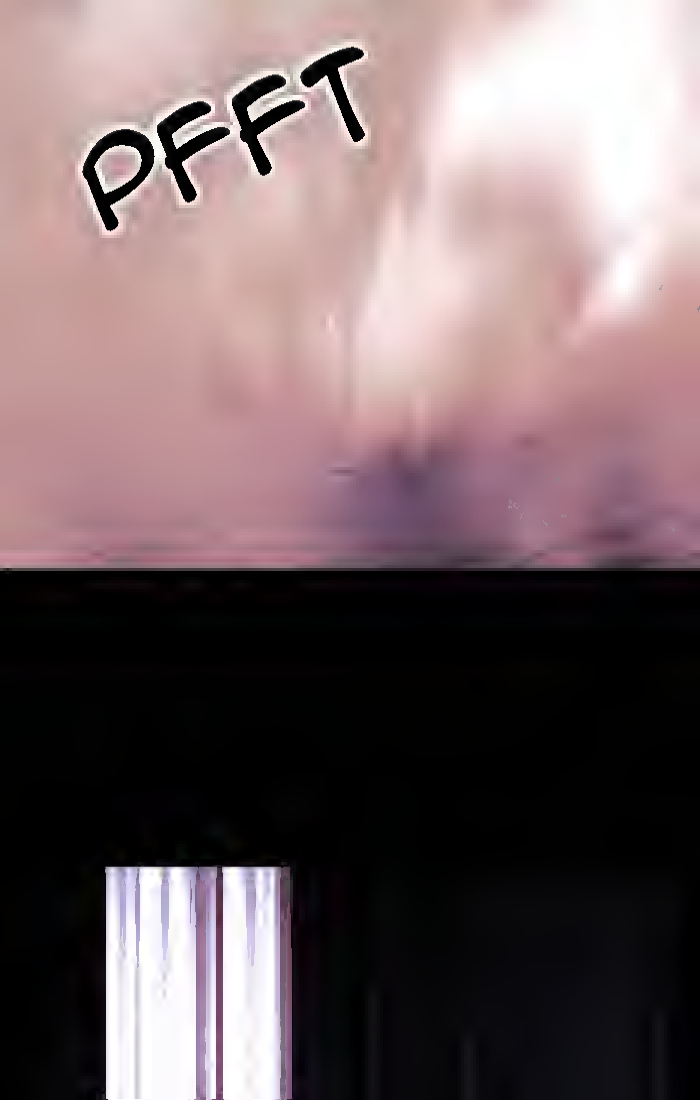
SO,
THIS IS YOUR
BEST SHOT?





KYAHHHHHHH~

FAZOOM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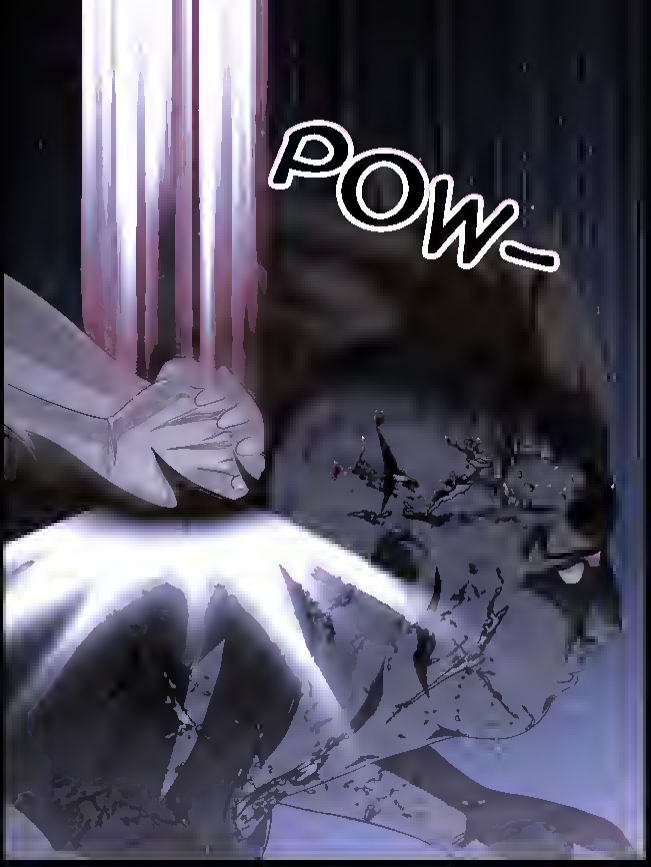
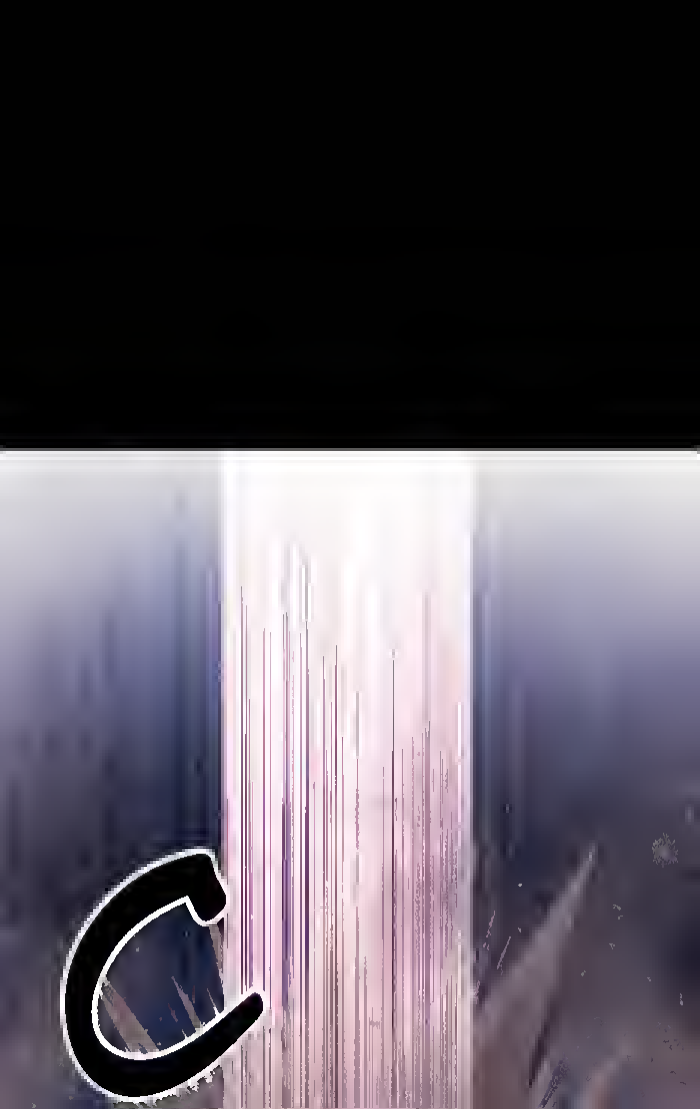
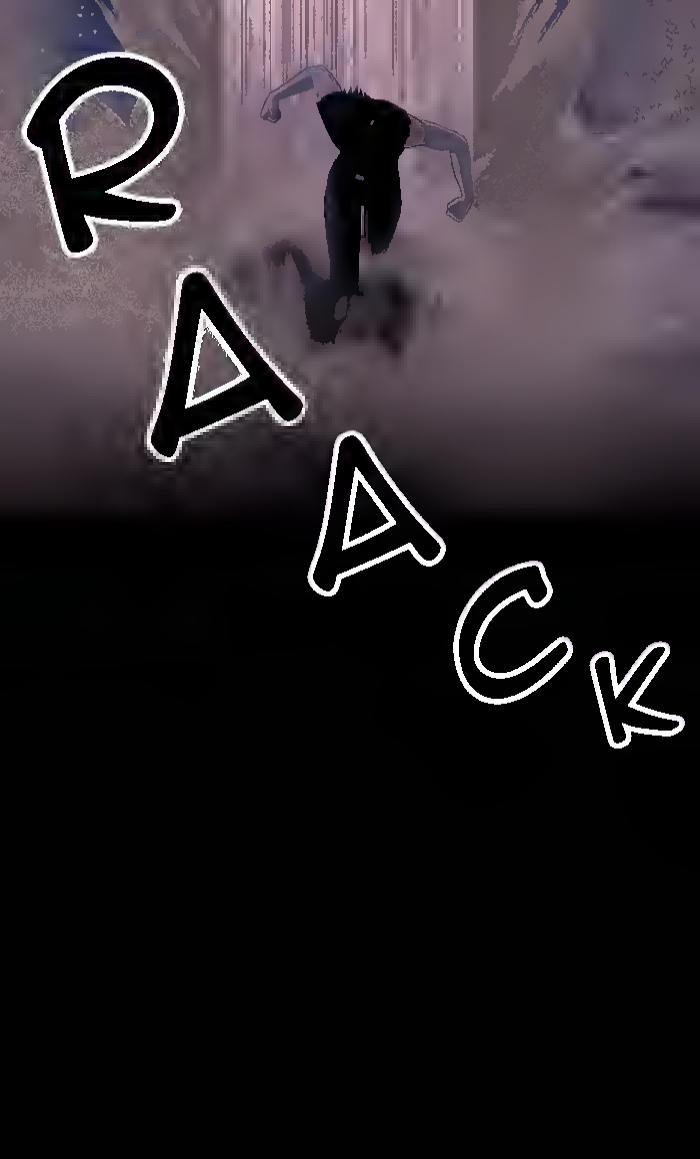

POW_

THUD-




RAACK

IT'S NO MATCH.
THE WINNER HAS BEEN DECIDED...

WHAT THE HELL IS HE?
THEO...

THEO...THEO'S AT PRISON 13...

ARE YOU GETTING WORRIED?
NO, NO. WAIT.

NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS THERE,
AS LONG AS THEO IS ON OUR SIDE...
AS LONG AS HE CAN EXHIBIT THAT POWER

NOPE, IT'S STILL...
IT'S STILL NOT COMPLETELY UNDER HIS CONTROL.

HE CAN'T CONTROL IT
AND THERE MUST BE LIMITS TO THAT POWER...

POW

SWAY
SWAY

RAWRRRRRR~
I'LL END YOU WITH THIS!
SWOOSH~

GRAB
!!

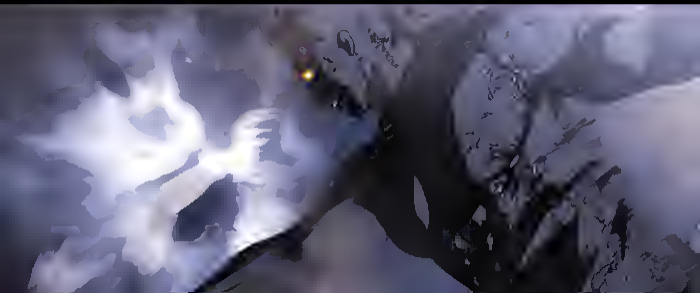
TO BE HONEST, I WAS A LITTLE SURPRISED.

TO FIND SOMEONE WITH SO MUCH POTENTIAL IN THIS HELLHOLE.
...!!

IT'S BEEN FUN.
SOLDIER.

CRACK
CRUNCH

ARGHH!
THEO!!!



BOOM-

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